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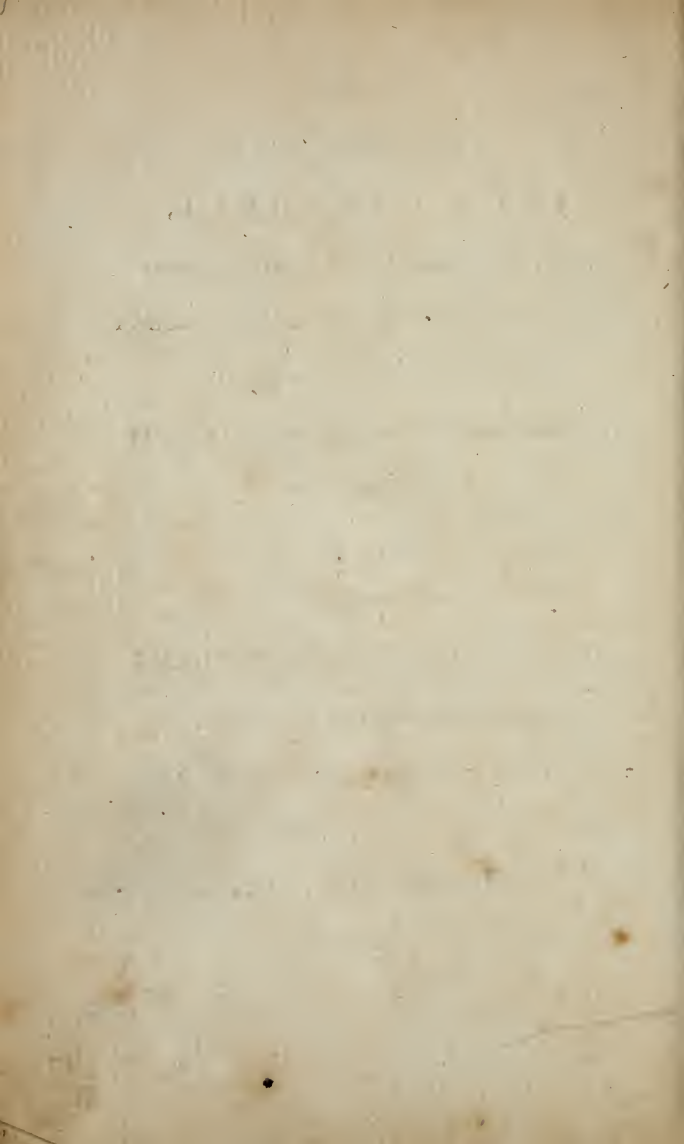
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FOR EXTENDING THE FISHERIES,
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THE FOLLOWING
COLLECTION OF GAELIC POEMS
ARE RESPECTFULLY INSCRIBED,
BY HIS LORDSHIP'S MUCH OBLIGED
AND MOST OBEDIENT HUMBLE SERVANT,
DUNCAN M^cINTYRE.



DUNCAN M'INTYRE, Author of the following Poems, was born in Glenorchy, Argyleshire, in the year 1724. The only amusement of his youth was fowling and fishing. He was for some time in the army: Afterwards a Forester to the Right Honourable the Earl of Breadalbane, in Coire-Chéathaich and Beinn-Dourain; and thereafter to his Grace the Duke of Argyle, in Buachill-Eite. He was likewise, for a considerable time, in the City-guard of Edinburgh.—He began to compose Songs in the twenty-third year of his age.—Though he has received no education, nor been assisted by any person, yet the following Songs, &c. are wholly of his own composition.

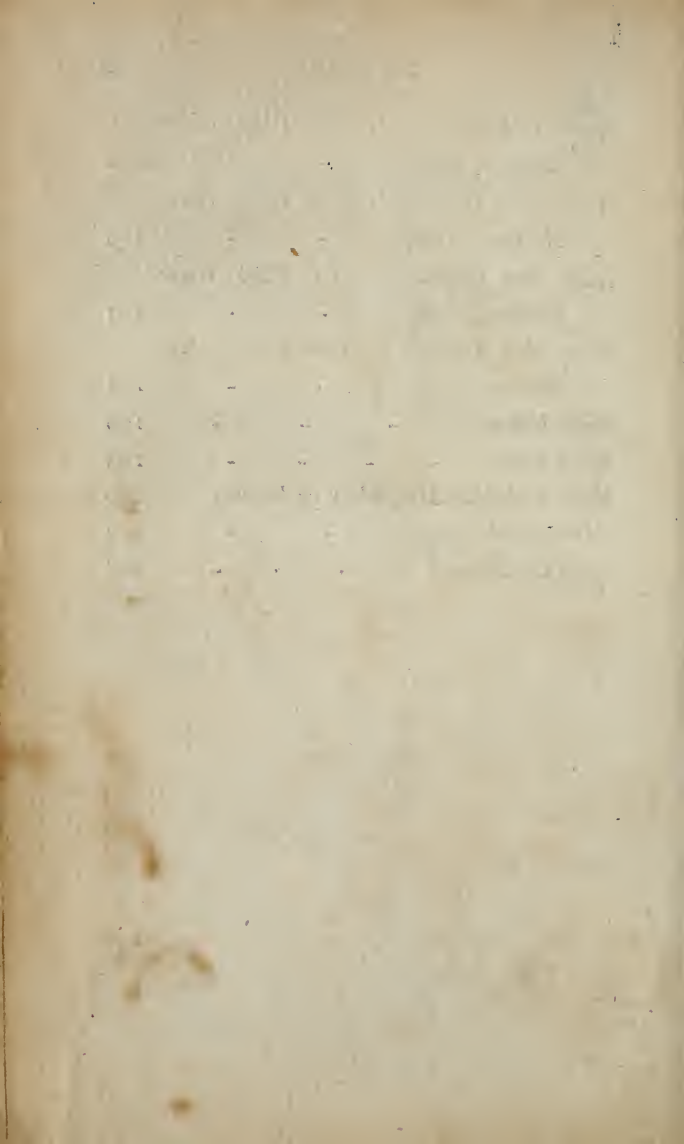
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O R A I N
G H A I D H E A L A C H.

ORAN I.

Oran do bhlar' na h Euglais brice.*

I.

LÁ dhuinn air mach thir Alba,
Na bha dh'armailt aig a chuigse,
Thachair iad oirne na reabail
'S bu neo'-aobhain leoinn a chuideachd;
'Nuair a chuir iad an ratreud oirn,
'Siad 'nar diaigh a los ar murta,
'S mur deanamaid feum le'r casan,
Cha d'thug sinne frad le'r musgan.

* 'Se so ceud oran an ughdair.

II.

'S a dol an coinneamh a Phrionnfa,
 Gu'm bu shunntach a bha sinne,
 Shaoil finn gu'm faigheamaid cúis deth,
 'S nach ro dhuin, ach dol g'a shireadh;
 Nuair a bhuail iad air a cheile,
 'S ard a leumamaid a tilleadh,
 'S ghabh finn amach air an abhuin,
 'S dol g'ar n amhaich ann san linne.

III.

'Nam do dhaoinibh dol nan eideadh,
 Los na reabalaich a thilleadh,
 Cha do shaoil finn, gus na gheil finn,
 Gur finn fhein a bhi'dhte 'g iomain;
 Mar gu'n rachadh cú ri caoiribh,
 'S iad 'nan ruith air aodann glinne,
 'S ann mar sin a ghabh iad sgaoileadh
 Air an taobh air an ro sinne.

IV.

Sin' 'nuair thanig cach 'fa dhearbh iad
 Gu'm bu shearbh dhuinn dol' nan cuideachd;
 Se'n troup Gallta g'an ro chall sin,
 Bha Collin gun cheann air cuid dhibh
 Nuair a thachair ribh clann Domhnuil,
 Chum iad comhail air an uchdan,
 D'hfhag iad creachd'an air an reubadh
 Scha leifeadh leidh a n'cuifleadhn.

V.

Bha na heich gu crúitheach, frianach,
 Girteach, iallach, fiamhach, troupach,
 'S bha na fir gu harmach, foghluint',
 Air an sonrachadh gu murta.
 'Nuair a dhaom finn bhar 'ntfleibh,
 Is moran feum aguin air furtachd
 Na bha beo bha cuid dhiubh leoint
 'S bha finn bronach mun a thuit ann.

VI.

Dh'eirich fuathas ann fan ruaig dhuinn,
 'Nuair a ghluais an fluagh le leathad
 Bha Prionns' Tearlach le chuid Francach,
 'S iad ann geall air teachd 'nar rathad.
 Cha d' fhuair finn focal command'
 A dh'iaruidh ar naimhdean a sgathadh;
 Ach comas sgaoilidh feadh an tfaoghail,
 'S cuid aguin gun fhaotain fhathasd.

VII.

Sin 'nuair thainig mise dhathigh,
 Dh' ionnfuidh Ghileaspic o'n Chrannuich,
 'Sann a bha é 'n fin co'-fhiata,
 Ri broc-lia a bhiodh ann garuidh;
 Bha é duilich ann fan ám fin,
 Nach ro ball aige r'a tharruing,
 'S mor an diú'ail na bha dhí air
 Cloidheamh finnfreachd a shean athar.

VIII.

Morain iarruing air bheug faobhair,
 Gu'm b'e sud eagus a chloidheamh,
 'Se gu lubach, leumnach, bearnach,
 'S bha car cam ann, ann san amhuich,
 Dh'fhag é mo chruachansa bruite
 Bhi 'ga ghiulan feadh an rathaid,
 'Sé cho trom ri cabar fearna,
 'S maing a dh'fhairdeadh an ro rath air.

IX.

'Nuair a chruinich iad nan ciadan
 'N lá fin air sliabh na h eaglais,
 Bha ratreud air luchd na Beurla
 'S ann doibh fein a b' eigin teicheadh ;
 Ged' a chaill mi ann san ám fin
 Cloidheamh ceannart chloin an Leafdair ;
 Cloidheamh bearnach a mhi-fhortain,
 'Sann bu choflach é ri greidlein.

X.

Am ball teirmeafg a bha meirgeach,
 Nach d'rinn feirbhis a bha dleufnach ;
 'S beag an diú'aíl leam r'a chunnta
 Ged' a dh iontraich mi mu fheafgar :
 An cloidheamh duth nach d'fhuair a fgúradh
 'S neul an t fuigh air a le'taobh,
 'S beug a b'fhiugh e 's e air lubadh,
 'S gum b'e diuthadh a bhuill deis é.

XI.

An cloidheamh braoisgeach, bh'aig na daoine
 Nach d'rinn caonag 's nach d'thug buillean,
 Cha ro eugas air an t faoghal,
 'S mairg a fhaoruich leis an cumeasg;
 An cloidheamh duth air an ro 'n taimhleas
 Gun chrìos, gun chrambait, gun duille,
 Gun ruinn, gun fhaobhar, gun cheanbheart,
 'S mairg a tharladh leis an cunthart,

XII.

Thug mi lium an cloidheamh bearnach,
 'S b'olc an an asuig e fa' chabhaig,
 Bhi ga ghiulan ar mo fhiasuid;
 'S mairg mi riamh a thug o'n bhail é,
 Cha toir é ftobadh na fathadh,
 'S cha ro é laidir gu gearradh
 Gu'm b'e diuthadh a bhuill airm é,
 'Se air meirgeadh air an fharadh.

XIII.

Chruinnich uaislean Earraghaidheal,
 Armait laidir do mhilifi, [lach,
 'S chuaidh iad mu choinnimh Phrionns' Tear-
 'S duil aca r'a champ a bhristeadh;
 S ioma fear a bh' ann fan ait' ud
 Nach ro sabhailt mur bha mise,
 A'mhead fa dhfhag finn an fan áraich,
 La blár na h Eaglais brice.

ORAN II.

Oran do Thailcart a bha aig Ban-ri Mairi.

I.

DEOCH slainte Ri Deorfa,
Gu'n olainn ar thus,
Le onoir 's le buaidh
Nan daoin uaisl' tha na chuir,
Le Seanalair Hawley,
As Maidfear Cochun,
Gun di' chuimhn' air Mairi,
Bean mhálta mo ruin.

II.

Mo bheannachd gu bráth
Aig a Bhan-ri nach beo;
'San aic' a bha Mairi,
G'a h árach 's i og;
Bean fhiobhalta; shamhach,
'S i nárach gu leor:
'Nuair theid mi 'n tigh thairne,
'Si phaigheadh mo stóp.

III.

'Stu chumadh an co'throm
 'S an onoir 'ud rium,
 'S a chuireadh a'm sporan
 Na dollair 's na crúin,
 Ged' a dh'ólainn leann laidir,
 Fion Spáinteach as rúm;
 'S tu b' urrain a phaigh,
 'S tu 'n ait air mo chúl.

IV.

Nuair thíginn leat dathigh,
 Thar faithch' an rabhiu,
 'S tu síntt ann am bhreacan,
 Bu taitneach leam thu;
 Gu'n deanuin do thasguidh,
 Far am faicinn do ghnuis,
 Mo Mhairi dhonn mhaifeach,
 Air 'n do leag mi mo rún.

V.

'S ann do nian na Ban-ri
 Thug mi grádh as mi óg,
 O'n a fhuair mi air laimh i,
 Cha ro faillin a'm lón;
 Fhuair mi coir ort o'n chaiptein,
 Nach tugainn feachad air ór,
 'S ge do rachuin am blár leat,
 Cha 'n fhágain thu beo.

VI.

'S ann a fhuair mis' an toifeach,
 Leis an fhortan a bh' ann,
 A bhean as diriche pearfa,
 Theid a mach fa' chommand ;
 'S a dh'aindeoin na h aoife,
 Cha dean i h aogas a chall,
 Cha chaoluich a casan,
 'S cha mho ghlafas a ceann.

VII.

Tha Mairi cho boigheach
 Ri mnaoi oig a tha 's tír,
 'S i gun uireasbhuidh foghlaim,
 Uafal, mordhalach, grinn ;
 'Se m' aidhir 's mo fhólas,
 Gu'm bheil i pófda rium fhin,
 'S ge 'd a thearuig dhuinn stóras,
 Gheibh fin ór aig an Ri.

VIII.

Bi finn uil' aig Ri Deorfa,
 'S cha ghóruiche dhuinn ;
 O's ann aige tha' n stóras
 As cóir air a chrún ;
 Bheir é 'm paigh 'nar dorn duinn,
 'S cha 'n iar é oirn dad g'a chion,
 Gheibh finn anart as aodach
 Co faor ris a bhúrn.

IX.

Cha 'neil triobloid r'a chunntas,
 Air muintir an Rì,
 Ach miorag as fugaradh,
 'S bi gun churam do ni;
 Ged' a dh' ólainn na galain,
 A h uile car a theid diom,
 Cha troideadh mo bhean rium,
 'S cha leig i an t aran am dhi.

X.

'S ann agams' tha 'n leannan,
 Nach 'eil feammach na brein,
 'Si 'n uaisl' tha na mala,
 Tha cuir a ceanail an geil,
 'S tha mi fad an am barail,
 Nach 'eil a coimeas fu' 'n ghrein,
 'S ni mi pórfan dith daingean,
 Mu bhios i mairthean a'm dheigh.

ORAN III.

Oran do 'n Mhusg.

I.

'S IOMADH car a dh'fheudas tighn air na fearaibh
Is theag' gu'n gabh iad gaol air an té nach fhuigh
iad, [mi,
Thug mi fichead bliadhna do'n chiad té ghabh-
Is chuir i 'rithist cúl rium, is bha mi folamh.

II.

Is thainig mi Dhun-eudan a dh'iarraidh lean-
nain, [bhaile,
Is thúirt an Caiptin Caimbeul, 's é 'n geard a
Gu'm b'aithne dha bantrach ann áite falaich,
Is gu'n deanadh é áird air a cur a'm 'charaibh.

III.

Rinn é mar a b' amhaist co'mhaith 's a
ghealladh,
Thug é dhamh air laímh i, 's am páidh marri;
Is ge b'e bhios a feóraich a h ainm no floidneadh,
Their iad ria Seónaid, 's b'e Deorfa sean-aír.

IV.

Tha i foitheamh, fuairce, gun ghruaim, gun
 smalan,
 Is i cho' árd ann uaisle re mnaoi san fhearán,
 Is culaidh a m' chumail suas i, o'n tha i marrium,
 Is mór an t' ádh'r smuairein do'n fhear nach
 fhuigh i.

V.

Leig me dhìom Nic-cóshum ge d'tha i mair-
 thean, [aire,
 Is leig mi na daimh chrocach an taobh bha 'n
 Is thao' mi ris an og mhnaoi, 'fann lium nach
 aithreach,
 Cha n'eil mi gun stóras en phós mi 'n ainnir.

VI.

Bheir mi fhein mo bhriathr' gu bheil i ro-
 mhaith,
 Is nach d'athinich mi riamh orra cron am falach,
 Ach gu foinneamh, finealta, díreach, fallain,
 Is i gun gháoid, gun ghiomh, gun char-fiar,
 gun chamadh.

VII.

Bithidh i air mo ghiulan, 's gur maith an airidh,
 Ni mi fhein a sgúradh gu maith 's a glanadh,
 Chuirinn ri' an t uilleadh ga cumail ceanalt,
 Is cuiridh mi ri m' shuil i, 's cha diult i aingeal.

ORAN IV.

Oran do'n Rìgh.

I.

'Sì deoch slaint' an Rìgh as áil linn,
Sin an ioc-shlaint aluinn, uafal,
Bhi ga h ol a dh'fhión na Spainte,
No do phuinse laidir, uaibhreach,
'Nuair a bhios i air a ffráchdadh
Co lán 'fa chumas na cuachan,
Ge b'e lamh an dean i tachairt,
'S coir gu'm faiceadh é muncuairt i.

II.

'S mor an fonas th' ann san ríoghachd,
Ona chuaidh an Rì fo chrúnadh,
Ann san ait' a bh' aig a shinns'reachd,
An d'fhuair a shéan-feanair cóir dhúthchais,
Albainn, as Sasgunn, as Eirinn,
'Nois' a' géileachduin do 'n aon fhear,
Mar nach fhacas iad riamh roimhe
O'n a chothuicheadh air thús aid.

III.

'S mor an t ádh a th' áir an oig-fhear,
 An treas Deors' a shuith fa' chaithir,
 Cha neil Ri ann fan Roinn-eorpa,
 Chumas cómhrag ris le cloidheamh;
 'S óg a thoisich é ri cruadal,
 'S tha bhuanachd gu tric na lamhan,
 Fearann chaich 'ga shír thoirt uatha,
 'S na h uil' aite fhuair é ghleidheadh.

IV.

'S iomadh ait' an ro chuid armailt,
 Cliutach, ainmeil 'nuair a thairnt' iad
 A choisichin lúthar, calma,
 A's troupe meannach nan each laidir;
 Bha Eirionnaich, Gaoill, as Sas'naich,
 'Nan gaisgich ann tir an namhaid,
 'S maing a thach'radh air na fearuibh,
 'Nuair a theannadh iad ri lámhach.

V.

Ann fa h uile cás a's cunthart,
 'S mor an t urram fhuair na Gaidhil,
 'S bha'as greis ga 'n cuir an duileachd,
 Mar nach buineadh iad do'n phairti;
 Ach 'nuair fhuair iad mios as creid'eas,
 'Sa chreideadh nach deanadh iad failling,
 'Siad bu sheasmhaich' air an onair
 A thug lann sholais a scábart.

VI.

Bha iad bras a h uile latha,
 Ri ám catha dol sna bláruibh,
 Chuaidh gach duine dhiu air chruadal,
 'S ann orra bha buaidh gach lárach,
 Bha commisean aig gach oig-fhear,
 'S e toirt órdugh d'a bhratailean,
 'S iad cho dileas do Ri Deorfa,
 'Sa bhiodh na leoghain dha'n cuid álaich.

VII.

Bha chairt-iuil is cuimhl' an fhortain,
 Bha feoid a chogaidh gu leir leat ;
 Ann fa h uile blár a bh' aca,
 Rinn Mars na bu choir dha fein deth :
 'N ám do loingis' bhí 'gan gluafad,
 Chuir Æolus fuaim led' bhréidean ;
 Thug Neptune co-throm a chuain duit,
 'S co bha uait a dheanadh feum dhuit.

VIII.

Bha na gearafdain cho daingean,
 'S gu'm b' amaideach dol gan feisdeadh,
 Aghaidh laidir air gach balla,
 Chum nam barag a bhí gleidhteach,
 Rampair árd nach reachta thairis,
 Bat'raidh 's canain orra gleufda,
 Bu mhairg a bhíodh roimh an anail
 'Nuair a theannadh iad ri geisgil.

IX.

Gach Ri a thoifich ad' aghaidh,
 Ghabh iad mar roghain an diutha,
 'S ionan fin 's mur dh'eirich dhaibhfan,
 'S mor a chaill iad air a chúis ud,
 Thug thu tarruing bhar an Fhrancaich,
 'S fhuair thu ceanglaichin a's cumhnant,
 Nach togadh é rithifd t'angar,
 Mu'n eireadh aimhleas ni bu mho dha.

X.

Bha Ban-ri Hungary górach,
 'Nuair a thoifich i ri stri riut ;
 'S cha bu ghlice Ri na Spainte,
 Thoifich é gu dana mi-mho'il :
 Ged' a bhà 'n dithifd ud laidir,
 'S Ri no dha a bh'ann sna h innsean,
 Fhuair thu dhiu gach cuis a dh'iarr thu,
 'S tha na fiachan air an dioladh.

XI.

Tha 'n Ri anoís' mar as aill leis,
 Sábhailt a dh' fhaodas é luighe,
 Tharruing é gu tír a chamhlach,
 'S channeil feum air camp a ghléidheadh.
 Gach duine bha dha 'nan naimhdean,
 Chinn iad da 'nan cairdean matha,
 'S tha iad uile dha cho díleas,
 'S dh' fhuirich an t fíocha' sin fhathaf.

XII.

An ceithir airdean an t saoghail,
 Tha fearunn as daoine aig Deorfa,
 'S tha chinn-euglais ann fgach áite
 Chum an fábháladh o dho-bheairt,
 Tha lagh a's parlamaid aca,
 Chumail ceartais riu a's córach,
 'S tha mheirl' ann deigh a casga,
 Sguir na creachan a's an tórachd.

XIII.

Bi' a h uile diuc a's iarla,
 Mar as miann leo am fad as beo thu,
 'S gheibh gach mor-fhear, as gach tighearn',
 A h uile dlitheadh as coir dhoibh ;
 'Tha daon uaifl', as tuath an fhearuinne
 Mar as math leo thaobh an stórais,
 'Tha luchd ceaird a faotain cofnaidh,
 'S channeil duine bochd gun phórfan.

XIV.

'Tha toradh am fás na talmhuin,
 Gu miosfach, ar' arach, pórach,
 Chinn ann spreidh gu bliochdach, bainn'or,
 Sona, fliochdór, fáilleach, feólór,
 Tha fitheann air fliabh gach garbhluich,
 Sealgairean a faotain spórfa,
 'S tha tighin air iasg na fairge,
 'S pailt an t airgiod ri linn Dheorfa.

XV.

'S mór a rinn e dh' fhearas-tighe,
 Sgaoil é h uile-matheas oirne,
 Chuir é drochaid air gach álltan,
 'S réitich é na ráidean-mora ;
 Chuir é scoil fa' h uile gleann,
 A los gu'm faigheadh ar clann foghlum,
 'S gheibh sinn airm a's aodach Gaidh'leach,
 O 'se 's fhear linn gu bhi sporfail.

XVI.

'Se as airde do na flaithibh,
 'S am mac-ratha o thús oige,
 Ceannard laidir fa' h uil' ionad,
 Air gach fineadh 's air gach feorfa ;
 Titul Bhreatain a's na Fraince,
 Tha na banntan sin 'na phóchda,
 Stoileadh Eirinn, steibh a' chreidimh,
 G'a chumail creid'eafach ann órdugh.

XVII.

Gu meal thu do chrún 's do chaithir,
 D' uinein, do chloidh' 's do mhór-chuis,
 'S do theāghlach mór, rioghail, cliutach,
 'S an lu chairt am bheil thu chomhnuidh ;
 Ge b'e uair a thig an aois ort,
 Na chaochla's tu bhar an t feoil sin,
 Gu'm bi do mhac-oighre fábhailt,
 Ann ad' aite mar is coir dha.

ORAN V.

Oran do Mhor-fhear Ghlinn-urchaidh.

I.

S^GEUL a b' ait leam r'a innseadh,
Mu'n og aigeannach, riombach,
Laoineach, bhafdalach, phrifeil,
Chaoineil, mhacanta, shiobhailt,
A rinn gach beart a bha rioghail,
Ann an ceartas. 'f'am firinn,
O thoifeach na stri' so thainig:
O thoifeach, &c.

II.

'S ioma ait' am bheil cliu ort,
Nach ro 'm pairtí do dhuthcha,
Sheas thu dána gun chúram,
Gun fhailing, gun lúbadh,
Gu neo'-fgáthach le dúrachd,
Ann fan aite bu rún leat,
Far na gheall thu o thús a bhí cairdeach:
Far na gheall, &c.

III.

'S ann ám gluafaid, na carraid,-
 Bha thu cruadalach, fearail,
 Mar bu dual duit o d' fheanair,
 Choífinn buaidh ann an Gallaibh,
 'Nuair a bhunaich é 'm fearann,
 Bha na tuadhaich gun anam,
 'N deis an ruagadh 's an gearradh san arfhaich':
 'N deis, &c.

IV.

Laoich ghleufda gun tioma,
 Bu mhór feum ann san iomairt,
 Nach geilleadh le giorag,
 Fhuair iad réite le milleadh,
 'S cha b'i 'n eacoir a fhir iad ;
 'S mor d' fheums' air bhi fgileil,
 O 's tu fhein a tha 'n ionad nan armann:
 O 's tu, &c.

V.

Sár cheannard gach fin' thu,
 Deagh mhaighisdir nan gillean,
 'S an commandair gun tioma,
 An tús a' reit no iomart,
 Nach dean parladh a fhireadh
 Le d' lanndaibh geur, biorach,
 Bhiodh caldach as iomain air namhaid :
 Bhiodh, &c.

VI.

'S bidh do chinne mor fhein leat,
 Ann sgach cunn'art an d'theid thu,
 'S iad gu fuileachdach, feumail,
 Bhualadh bhuilean as spéicean,
 'S lionar curaidh 'na eideadh,
 Bhi'os ullamh gu eiridh,
 An ám dhuit bhi 'g eubha ch crois-taraidh:
 Ann ám, &c.

VII.

'S ioma caraid muncuairt duit,
 Eadar Bealach a's Cruachan,
 Leis 'm bu mhath thu bhi 'n uachdar
 Le neart tein' agus luaidhe,
 'S nan lann tana, geur, cruaidhe,
 Rachadh marriut g'am bualadh,
 'Nuair a thogadh tu suaicheantas árd:
 'Nuair, &c.

VIII.

'S 'nuair a sgaoilte do bhratach,
 Ri crann caol, direach, snaighte,
 Osciunn dhaoín' air an fhaiche,
 Chluinte gleoghraich nam marcach;
 Bu ghraodhnaiche tartar;
 Na cinn-fheadhna 's na gaifgich
 Le maoin-bheirt' amach leo buaidh lárach:
 Le maoin, &c.

IX.

Reacar, ardanach, morchuis,
 Duineal ceanfalach, feólta,
 Marcach árd, nan each móra,
 Bu mhor frann, 's bu mhaith foghlum ;
 Eafan Gallta gu leoir ort,
 'S maith thig ád a bhil oir dhuit,
 Air chúl clannach bu bhoidhche meafg Ghaidheal :
 Air chúl, &c.

X.

Aghaidh mhacanta, chaoineif,
 Mhálta, mheachair mar mhaighdin,
 Dána, smachdail mar shaighd-fhear,
 Cridhe foilleir gun fhoill
 Ann fa chomb is gloine na 'n doimein ;
 D' aigne uile le foille,
 Mar ghrian chaoineil a boifgeadh air fáireadh
 Mar ghrian, &c.

XI.

Suairce, síobhallta, fearail,
 Suil liondach, ghorm, mheallach,
 Bu chaol, finealta mala
 Gruaidh, ghrís-dhearg, channach,
 Beul bí a bu taine,
 Cneas mín-gheal mar chanach,
 Channeil ti a thug barrachd air d'ailleachd :
 Channeil, &c.

XII.

Fhuair thu urram gach cúise,
 On a b' urrain thu ghiulan ;
 'Nám fuithe na cúirte
 Far 'm bu lion'ora diúcan,
 Bu riomhach do dhiuti,
 Bhi caradh a chrúin,
 Air an Ri d'am bhuil duthchas an aite :
 Air, &c.

XIII.

Sár chuirteir na maife
 Dh'an ro cliu air gach fafan,
 Fhuair iul ann an Saigon
 Air na cuifeannuibh tagraidh,
 'Se do thúr a bha beacail,
 Tha 'n duthaich lán aitis
 On a thainig thu dhathigh le fáilte :
 On a, &c.

XIV.

Sar phoiteir an fhion thu,
 'S tu dh'óladh 'fa dhioladh ;
 Fhuair thu foghlum gach rioghachd,
 Meoir is grinne ni fgriobhadh,
 Bu tu fealgair na sithne
 Led' chuileabháir caol direach,
 'Nuair a tharla' tu 'm fri' nam beann árda :
 'Nuair, &c.

XV.

Ann ám dhuit bhi taoghal
 Ann fa' bheinn am bi 'n fhaodhailt,
 Leat bu mhiannach a ghreadhain,
 Fuaim mhiofar ri h aodhairc,
 Gunna glaice do roghainn,
 Gairm ghallanaich gothair,
 'Nuair a rachadh é 'n diaigh fir craice :
 'Nuair, &c.

XVI.

'S 'nuair a loifge tu 'm fúdar,
 Leis a ghunna nach diultadh,
 Bhiodh na peilearan du'-ghorm,
 Le teine 'gan stiu'radh
 Ri h eilid na stuice,
 'S bhiodh a céireannan bruite,
 As do ghilleán 'ga giulan a fafach :
 As do, &c.

XVII.

'S 'nuair a thearnda' gud' bhaile,
 Mu oidhche le faram
 Bu ghleoghrach an talla,
 Tur greadhnach fin Bhealaich
 Mór chaoimhneas air d'aire
 Bhiodh loinn air luchd ealaidh
 Leis an feinnte gach caithream a b' ail leat :
 Leis, &c.

XVIII.

Mu chroma' na greine
 'Nuair a dhonnadh na speuran,
 Gheibhte follain as aoibhneas,
 Ann tigh foilleir na feile,
 Gach ceol bu bhinne r'an eifdeachd,
 Co'-fhreagairt a cheile
 An fhiadhal, 's na teudan, 'fa chlárfach :
 An, &c.

XIX.

Maduin shoileir ag eiridh,
 Gheibhte chomaine cheudna,
 Piob am follais 'ga speiceadh
 Feadain loma 'gan gleufadh,
 Dofa donna ri beus doibh,
 Ceol loinneil bu reithe,
 Síir chaithe' na feafd' ann adt áros :
 Síir, &c.

XX.

'Si an trompaid 's na h'oragáin,
 Bu ghlan prondel as monmor,
 'Nuair a lomda gach corra-mheur
 Nach bu trom air an t forachan,
 Bu phuncail an toraman,
 Gu fonnarach, foirmeil,
 Ann an teaghlach a mhorfhir ri ábhachd :
 Ann, &c.

XXI.

Talla flaitheafach, rioghañ,
 A'n ro-maitheas, gun mhi-run,
 Gheibht' ann tadhaich gu lion'ar,
 Do mhaitheamh na rioghachd,
 Seol air caithe' an fhiona,
 Uifge beatha ann am piofan,
 A s'ir ghabhail fios nan deoch flainte :
 A s'ir, &c.

XXII.

Mar bu mhiannach leat fhaicin,
 Bhi gu fialaidh mar chleachd thu,
 Miofail, miaghail, gun airceas,
 Uaill' as riomhadh as fasan ;
 Or lion'ar g'a fgapadh,
 Cluiche dian g'a chuir feachad,
 Air dhiofnan, air chairtibh, 's air thaileasg :
 Air, &c.

XXIII.

Beus nach b' ainneamh led' thioghlach,
 Bhi gu farumach, greadhnach,
 Ceol as aiteas gach oidheche
 Seomar laifde le coinlibh,
 'Se Glean urchaidh do staoileadh,
 'S thu air Bealach a'd oidhre
 Gu meal thu do ghreim air an aite :
 Gu meal, &c.

ORAN VI.

Coir'-a-cheathaich.

I.

SÉ coir'-a-cheathaich nan aighean fiúbhlach,
An coire rúnach, a's úrar fonn,
Gu lurach, miad-fheurach, mín geal, fúghar,
Gach luifean flúar bu chúbraidh leam;
Gu molach dúbh-ghorm, torrach lúifreagach,
Corrach plúireanach, dlú'-ghlan grinn;
Caoin ballach dítheanach, cannach mífleanach,
Gleann a' mhilltich, is lionmhor manng.

II.

Tha falluing, dhúinte, gu daingeán, dubuilt',
A mhair'eas úine, m' an rúisg i lom,
Do'n fhéur a 's cúl-fhinne dh' fhás na h úrach,
'S a bhár air lúbadh le drúchda trom,
Mu choire guanach nan torran uaine,
A' bheil luigh is luachair a fuas g'a cheann,
'S am fáfach guamach ann cas a bhuanadh,
Num b' áite cruaidh é, 'm biodh tuath le'n suim.

III.

Tha truscan faolaidh air cruit an aonaich,
 Chuir fult as aoidh air gach taobh a d' chom,
 Mìn-fheur chaorach is barra bhraonan,
 'S gach lus a dh' fheudadh bhi 'n aodain thom.
 M'an choir' is aoidheala tha r'a fhaotain,
 A chunna daoine an taobh fo 'n Fhraing;
 Mur dean é caochladh, b' é 'n t aithir faoghalt
 Da ghillean ea-trom bhi daonan ann.

IV.

'S ann m'an ruadh ais'-righ dh'fhás na cuartagan,
 Clúthar, cuaicheanach cuannar, árd,
 A h uile cluaineag 's am bár air luafgadh,
 'S á ghaoth 'g an fguabadh a nun 's a nall:
 Bun na cípe is bár a' mhilltich,
 A chuifeag dhíreach, 's an fhíteag cham;
 Muran bríoghar, 's an grunnafg lionmhor;
 M' an chuilidh dhiomhair, am bi na fuinn.

V.

Tha sliabh na láirig an raibh mac Bhaidi,
 'Na mhóthar fáfaich, 's 'na stráchda trom;
 Slios na bán-leachdain; cha 'ni is táire,
 'S gur tric a dh' áraich i 'n lán damh donn:
 'Sna h aighean dára nach d'theid a 'n bhá-thigh,
 A bhios le 'n álach gu h árd 'nan grunn,
 'S na laogh gu h uifeil a lá 'fa dh'oidhche,
 'S na h uiread cruinn diubh air druim-clachfionn.

VI.

Do leachda chaoineil gu dearcach braoiléagach,
 Breac le feireagan 's cruinn dearg ceann;
 An creamh 'na chaithrichibh, am bac nan staith-
 richean,
 Stacan fraoidhneafach nach bu ghann:
 Am bearnan-bríde, 's a' pheighin rioghail,
 'S an canach mín géal, 's am mislean ann;
 'S a h uile mír dheth, o'n bhun is íle
 Gu h ionad círean na crích' is áird'.

VII.

'S riamhach cóta na craige móire,
 'S cha 'n 'eil am fó'lach a' d'chóir 'san ám,
 Ach meunan cóinich, a 's é bu nófaire,
 Air a chótachadh os is thall:
 Na lagain chónard am bun nan fréineag,
 Am bí na somhraichean, 's neónain fann,
 Gu bileach, feórnaineach, milis; roineagach,
 Molach, rómach, gach feórt' a th' ann.

VIII.

Tha mala ghruamach do'n bhiolar uaine,
 M'an h uile fuanan a' th' ann san fhonn;
 Is doire shealbhag aig bun nan garbh-chlach,
 'San grinneal gain'lich' gu meanbh-gheal pronn;
 'N a ghlugan plumbach air ghoil gun aon teas,
 Ach coilich búirn tighin a grund eas lom,
 Gach struthan uafal 'na chuailean cúl-ghorm,
 A' ruidh 'na spúta, 's na lúba steoll.

IX.

Tha braddan tara-ghéal fa choire gharalaich,
 Tha tigh'n o'n fhairge bu ghaileach tonn,
 Le luinneis mheamnach a' ceapa' mhean'-chuileag,
 Gu neo chearbach le cham-ghob crom :
 Air bhuinne borb, as é leum gu foirmeil,
 'Na éididh colgail bu ghorm-glas druim,
 Le sfoislean airgid, gu h iteach mean'-bhreac,
 Gu lannach, dearg-bhallach, earr-gheal sliom.

X.

'S é coir'-a-cheathaich an t aithir príseil,
 'S an t áite rioghail mu'm bidht' a' sealg,
 Is bi' feidh air ghiulan le lamhach fúdair,
 A' cur luaidhe dhú'-ghorm gu dlú' nan calg :
 An gunna gleusda, s' an cuilean ea-trom,
 Gu fuileach, feumanach, treubhach, garg,
 A ruidh gu fiúbhach, a' gearradh shurdag,
 'S a dol g'a dhúlan re curfan dearg.

XI.

Gheibhte daonnan mu d' ghlacaibh faoine,
 Na h aighean maola ; na laoigh, 's na mainng,
 Súd bu mhiann leinn am maidain ghrianaich,
 Bhi dol g' an iarraidh, 's a' fiadhach bheann,
 Ge do thigeadh fianntain oirnn' uifg' is díle,
 Bha feol g'ar didnein mu'n chrích fan ám,
 An creagan iosal am bun na frídhe,
 'S an leaba dhiona', 's mi m' shíneadh ann.

XII.

Sa' mhadain chiuin-ghil, ann ám dhamh dúsgadh,
 Aig bun na stúice be' n' fugra' leam ;
 A' chearc le sgiucan a' gabhail túchain,
 'S an coileach cúirteil a' dúrdail crom.
 An dreathan fúrdeil, 's a riobhaid chiuil aige,
 A' cur nan smúid deth gu lúthar binn,
 An druid 's am brú-dhearg, le moran únaich,
 Ri ceilear sunndach bu shiubhlach rann.

XIII.

Bha eoin an t sleibhe 'n an ealtain ghle ghloin,
 A' gabhail bheufan air ghéig fa' choil,
 An uifeag cheutach, 's a luinneag fein aice,
 Feadan speifeil gu reidh a feinn :
 A chuag 's smeórach am bár an ógain,
 A gabhail órain gu ceolmhor binn :
 'Nuair ghoir an cuanal gu loinneil guanach,
 'S é 's gloin' a chualas am fuaim fa' ghleann.

XIV.

'Nuair thig iad cómhla' na bheil a'-d' choirse
 Do na h uile feórta bu chóir bhi ann ;
 Damh na cróice air frath na móintich,
 'S é gabhail crónain le dreocam árd :
 A' dol san fheathai' gu bras le h aoibhneas,
 A' mire-leumnaich re eildeig dhuinn,
 B'i sin an ribhinn a dh'fhás gu míleanta,
 Foinniumh, fineilte, direach, feanng.

XV.

Tha mhaoilleach chul-bhui air feadh na duistuing,
 Aig bun nam fiuran 'g an rufga' lom,
 'S am boc gu h-útluidh re leaba chúirteil,
 'S é 'ga búrach' le rútan crom;
 'S am minnein riathach bu luime cliathach,
 Le chuinnear fiadhta; a's fiadhaich ceann,
 'Na chodal guamach ann lagán uaigneach,
 Fuidh bhár na luachrach 'na chuartaig chruinn.

XVI.

'Is lionmhar cruasachd a bha m'an cuairt duit,
 Ri ám am buanadh bu luaineach clann;
 Ri tional guamach, gu fearail, suairce,
 'S a' roinn gu h-uafal na fhuair iad ann:
 Ceir-bheach 'na cnuacaibh, 's an nead 'na
 chuairtaig,
 'S a mhil 'ga buannachd air cruaidh an tuim,
 Aig feillein riadhcha; breaca, frianach,
 Le 'n cronan cianail a's fiadhta frann.

XVII.

Bha cus r'a fhaotain do chnomhan caoine,
 'S cha b' iad na caochagan ea-trom gann
 Ach bagailt, mhaola, bu taine plaoisg,
 A' tóirt brigh a laoghan na mao-fhlait fann.
 Srath nan caochan 'na dhofaibh caórain,
 'Sna phreasaibh caola, lán chraobh is mheang,
 Na gallain úra, 's na faillein dhlútha,
 'S am barrach duinte mu chúl nan crann.

XVIII.

Gach áite timchiol 'n am fáfach iom-lan.
 Mám is fion-ghleann, 's an tuilm 'ga choir;
 Meall-tionail láimh ris, gu mollach, tláthail
 B'é chulaidh dh'árach an álaich oig,
 Na daimh 's na h eildean am madain cheitein.
 Gu moch ag eirigh air reidhleoin feoir,
 Greidhein dhearg dhiubh air taobh gach leargain,
 Mu 'n choire gharalaich, 'g an ainm an Ceo.

ORAN VII.

Cumbadh Choire-cheathaich.

Air fonn, The Flowers of Edinburgh.

I.

'S Duilich leam an caradh
 Th' air coire gorm an fháfaich,
 Ann raibh mí greis am arach
 'S an bhraidhe fo-thall;
 'S iomadh fear a bharr orm,
 A thaitneadh e r'a nádur,

Na 'm biodh é mar a bhia é,
 'Nuair dh' fhág mi e nall;
 Gunnaireachd is lamhach
 Spurt is adhbhar ghaire,
 Chleachd bhi aig na h ármuinn
 A b' abhaifd bhi fa' ghleann,
 Rinn na fir ud fhágail,
 'S mac eoghain tanna drásta,
 Mar chlach an ionnad cápaig
 An aite na bh' ann.

II.

Tha 'n coir' air dol am fáillín,
 Ged' ithear thun a bhlair e,
 Gun duin aig am bheil cás deth.
 Mun ait' ann fan ám;
 Na feidh a bh' ann air fhagáil,
 Cha d' fhuirich gin air arruinn,
 'Scha 'neil an aite támha
 Mar bhia e fa ghleann.
 Tha 'm Baran air a sharuch'
 'S dhartluich air an taladh,
 Gun sgiil aig air an nadar
 Ged' thainic e ann.
 B' fhear dha bhi mar b' abhaifd,
 Osciann an t foigheich chátha,
 'Sa lamhan a bhi lán di,
 Ga fagadh gu teann.

III.

'Se múgha' air an t faoghal
 An coire laoghach gaolach,
 A dhol anois air faoin-traigh,
 'S am maor a theachd ann :
 'S gur h é bu chleachdain riamh dha,
 Bhi trufa nan cearc biata,
 Gur tric a rinn iad fiathnail,
 Le pianadh do lámh,
 Is iad na 'm baidnibh riabhach,
 Mu d' amhaich 's ann ad fgiathan,
 Bhiodh iotaillich is fgiabail
 Mu d' fhiaclan fan ám,
 Bu ghiobach thu re riaghailt,
 Mu chidfin tighe 'n iarla,
 Gar nach b'e do mhiann
 Bhi cuir bhian air an ftaing.

IV.

Ged' tha thu 'nois sa' bhraighe,
 Cha chompanach le cách thu,
 'S tha h uile duine táir ort
 O'n thainig thu ann ;
 'S eigin duit am fágail
 Na 's measa na mar thainic,
 Cha taitinn thu re 'n nádur,
 Le cnamhan 's le cainnt ;
 Gad fhaiceadh tu ghreidh uallach,
 'Nuair rachadh tu mun-cuairt doibh,

Cha dean thu ach am fuadachadh,
 Suas feadh nam beann.
 Leis a ghunnadh nach raibh buaghar,
 'Sa mheirg air a toll cluaife,
 Cha 'n eirmis i na cruachan,
 An cuaille dubh cam.

V.

Se 'n coire chuaidh an deis-laimh,
 O'n tha e nois' gun fheidh ann,
 Gun duin aig am bheil speis diu,
 Ni feum air an cúl,
 On tha iad gun fhear ghlédhte,
 Cha n' fhuirich iad ri chéile ;
 'S ann a ghabh iad an ra-treata
 Seach rédhlean nan lúb.
 Cha 'n 'eil prís an ruadh-bhuic,
 An coille na air fuaran,
 Nach b' eigin da bhi gluafad
 Le ruaig feadh na duth'ch' :
 'S cha' n' eil a nois' mun-cuairt da,
 Aon spúrt a dheanadh fuairceas,
 Na thaitneadh re duin-uafal
 Ged' fhuafgladh e chú.

VI.

Tha choille bh' ann fan fhrí ud,
 Na cuislin fada díreach
 Air tuitim is air crionadh
 Sios as an rúsg ;

Na prifein a bha bríoghar
 Na dofaibh tiugha lionmhur,
 Air feachda' mar gu'n spiont' iad
 A nios as an úir:
 Na failleinin bu bhoidhcheadh,
 Na slatan is na hógain,
 'San t áit' am biodh an smeórach,
 Gu médhar a fein ciúil,
 Tha iad uil' air coachladh,
 Cha d' fhuirich fiodh na fraoch ann;
 Tha mullach bhar gach craoibhe,
 'S am maor 'ga thoirt diú.

VII.

Tha uisge frath na díge,
 Na shruthladh dúbh gun fiola',
 Le barraig uaine liogh-ghlais
 Gu mi-bhlafda grannd;
 Feur-lochain is táchair
 An cinn an duillig bháite,
 Cha 'n 'eil gne tuille fás
 An fan ait' ud fan ám;
 Glumagan a cháthair,
 Na ghluguibh domhain, sámhach,
 Co tiugh re fúdhan cáthadh,
 'Na láthaich 's na phlám;
 Sean bhurn fálach ruodhain
 Cha ghlóine ghrunnd na uachdar,
 Gur coslach re muir ruaidh e,
 Na ruaimle feadh stannng.

VIII.

Tha 'n t ait an raibh na fuarain
 Air fás na chroite cruaidhe,
 Gun fóbhrach, gun dail-chuach,
 Gun lus uafal air carn ;
 An sliadh an raibh na h éildean,
 An áite laidhe 's éiridh
 Cho' lom re caufar féille,
 'S am fear chinn e gann ;
 Chuir Alastair le gheifgeil,
 A ghreidh ud 'as a cheile,
 'S thur leam gur mor an éu-coir
 An eadail a chall ;
 Cha lughadh 'n t adhbhar mío-thlachd,
 Am fear a chleachd bhi tíorail,
 A' tearnadh is a direadh
 Re frí nan damh feang.

IX.

Ach ma's duine do fhliochd Pháruic,
 A theid a nois' do'n áite,
 'S gu 'n cuir e as a láraich
 An tách'ran a tha 'nn ;
 Bidh 'n coire mar a bha e,
 Bidh laoigh is aidhein dár 'ann,
 Bidh daimh a dol san dámhair,
 Air fafach nam beann ;
 Bi' buic sna baddan blátha,
 Na bric san abhuinn laimh riu,

Sna feidh an frath na láir'ge
 Ag árach na mang,
 Thig gach uile ni g'a ábhait,
 Le aidheir is le. ábhachd,
 'Nuair gheibh am Baran bairlin,
 Sud fhágail gun taing.

ORAN VIII.

Oran seacharan seilg.

*Chunnaic mi 'n damb donn 's na h eildean,
 Direadh a bhealuich le cheile ;
 Chunnaic mi 'n damb donn 's na h eildean.*

'S MI tearnadh a Coir'-a-cheathaich,
 'S mór mo mighean 's mi gun aidhir,
 Siubhal frithe ré an látha,
 Thilg mi 'n spraidh nach d'rinn feum dhamh,
Chunnaic mi, &c.

Ged' tha bacadh air na h armuibh,
 Ghleidh mi 'n Spainteach thun na fealga,
 Ge do rinn i orm do chearbaich,
 Nach do mharbh i mac na h eilde.
Chunnaic mi, &c.

'Nuair a dh'eric h mi i fa' mh'aduin,
 Chuir mi innte fúdar Ghlascho,
 Peulair teann is tri puist Shas'nach,
 Cuiphein asgairt air a dheidh sin.

Chunnaic mi, &c.

Bha 'n spor úr an déis' a breacadh,
 Chuir mi úille ris an acfuin,
 Eagal driúic bha múdan craicín,
 Cumail fasgaidh air mo cheile.

Chunnaic mi, &c.

Luidh an eilid air an fhuaran,
 Chuaith mi farrasda muncuairt di,
 Leig mi 'n deannal ud m'a tuairmse,
 Leam as cruaidh gu'n d'rinn i eiridh.

Chunnaic mi, &c.

Ranuig mise taobh na bruaiche,
 'S chofd mi ria mo chuid luaidhe;
 'S 'nuair a shaoil mi i bhi buailte,
 Sin an uair a b' aird' a leum i.

Chunnaic mi, &c.

'S muladach bhi siubhal frithe,
 Ri lá gaoith', as uifg', as díle,
 'S ordugh teann ag iarraidh síth'ne,
 Cuir nan gimeanach 'nan eigin.

Chunnaic mi, &c.

'S mithich tearnadh do na gleannuibh,
 O'n tha gruamaich air na beannuibh,
 'S ceathach duinte mu na meallaibh,
 A' cuir dalladh air ar leirfin.

Chunnaic mi, &c.

Bi' sinn beo ann dóchas ro-mhath,
 Gu'm bi' chúis ni's fhear an t ath la',
 Gu'm bi' gaoth, as grian, as talamh,
 Mur as maith linn air na fleibhtean.

Chunnaic mi, &c.

Bithidh an luaidh ghlas 'na deannuibh,
 Siúbhal reith aig conaibh feanga,
 'S an damh donn a fileadh fola,
 'S ábhachd aig na fearuibh gleufda.

Chunnaic mi, &c.

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ORAN IX.

Oran do Ioin Chaimbeul a' bhanc.

I.

I OIN CHAIMBEUL a' bhanca,
Gu'm faiceam thu slán,
Fhir a chumail na dáimh;
'Gam buineadh bhi mór;
Le d' chroidhe fial, fearail,
A thug barrachd air cách,
Ann iomadaidh cás
A thuilleadh nan slógh.
Fhuair thu meas, nach 'eil bichiont,
A measg Bhreatonach:
Banc an oir bhi fuidh d' fgoit,
Ann an cóir dhleasdanaich,
Na th' ann, cha 'n é 'm beagan
I's é 'm freasdal re d' stait,
Fuidh leagadh do lámh
'S gu freagradh do bheoil.

II.

'S tu marcach nan frann-each,
Is farramach ceum,

Le 'm fallaireachd fein
 Gu farasta fóil :
 Air dhiollait nan cúrfan
 Bu dubailte freun,
 'S tu bhuidhneadh gach réis,
 A shiubhladh an ród.
 Na h' eich bhearrcafach chalma,
 Bhiodh garbh cumachdail,
 Is iad gu h anmadail méamnach,
 Le 'm falbh gruileamach,
 Cruidheach, dlúth thairgneach,
 Mear, ainfheafach, fuafgailteach,
 Ceann-ardach, cluas-bhiorach,
 Uallach gu leoir.

III.

B'e do roghairn a dh'armachd,
 An targait chruinn úr,
 Gu meanbh-bhallach dlú,
 Bui tairgneach cruaidh feolt :
 Is cloidheamh chinn airgid
 Cruaidh, calma nach lúb,
 Lann thana gheur-chuil
 Gu daingean a'd dhórn.
 Marri dag ullamh ghrad,
 A bhiodh a snap freafdalach,
 Nach biodh stad air a fraid,
 Ach bhi 'mach freagarach :
 Fúdar cruaidh fgeilceara,
 Am feadan glé dhíreach,

A'd lamhan geal, míne,
'S coliomhar caol, gorm.

IV.

Bu chean-ard air feac thu,
An am gaisgidh no feum ;
Fear misneachail treun
A b' fhiofrach gach seól.
A fhuair fóghlum is fásan,
Is aiteas g'a reir,
Túr pailte le ceill
A' cur aignidh am móid.
Ann ám fuidhe na cúirte,
No dúbladh an t seifein,
An uchd barra no binne,
'Si t fhirinn a sheafadh :
Deadh theang fhear gu deasput
Bu fhreagarach cainnt,
A bhuidhneadh gach geall
'S a chumadh a choir.

V.

'Se do fhúgradh bha earailteach,
Ceannalta, fuairc,
Ann ám tional nan uaislean
Marruit a dh' ól,
Gu fáilteachail, furanach,
A cuireadh a suas,
Gach duine do'n t fluagh,
G'am buineadh bhi d' chóir.

Na diubhcan bu riamhaiche,
 A chít ann am Breáta,
 Is bu chompanach Rígh thu,
 Le firinn 's le teistneas,
 Fhir ghreadhnuich bu fheirceala,
 Sheafadh air blár,
 Fuidh 'n deise bhiodh lán,
 Do lástaineán 'oir.

VI.

'S maith thig dhuit san fhafan,
 An ád is a ghruag,
 Air an dreafadh a fuas,
 Am fafan an t floigh :
 Gu camagach dáithte,
 Lán chaifreag is chuach,
 Gu bach'lach m'an cuairt,
 Le maishe ro-mhor.
 Tha gach ciabh mar do mhiann,
 Air an fniamh cumachdail,
 Fiamh dhonn, torrach, trom,
 Gun bhonn uireasbhuidh,
 Amlagach, cleachdach,
 Cruinne cas-bhuidh tlá,
 Co-ghafda re bár,
 Th' air mac san Roinn-corp.

VII.

'Si t aghaidh ghlan, fhoilleir,
 Bha caoineil le fuairc,

Caól mhala gun ghruaim,
 'Suil mheallach bu bhoidhch',
 Gnuís ailidh mar chanach,
 Bu cheanalta, fnuagh,
 Mín cannach do ghruaidh,
 Mar bhara nan rós.
 Cha 'n eil áilleachd air cách,
 Nach d' thug pairt urram dhuit;
 Foinneamh finealta, díreach,
 Deas, fíor chumachdail,
 Calpa cruin comhthromach,
 Corrach gu d' fháil,
 Gun chron ort a' fás,
 O mhulach gu bróig.

VIII.

Do smaointine glice,
 Le mífnich 's le ceill,
 Do thuigse ghlan, gheur,
 'S deadh thuiteamas beoil;
 Gun tuirfneadh, gun bhristeadh,
 Gun triobloid, fo'n ghrein,
 A b' fhiofrach mi fein,
 Is mísd' thu bhi d' choir.
 'S ioma gibht a tha 'nois,
 Lionmhor tric minig ort,
 Iul is fios, muírn 's mios,
 Flúr a' miosg finnich thu,
 An uaisle le spiorad,
 Air mhíreadh a' d' cháil,

'S tu iriosal, baidheil,
Cinneadail, coir.

IX.

Gheibhte fúd ann ad thalla,
Fion geal is maith tuar,
Deoch thana gun druaip,
Is i fallain gu póit ;
Bhiodh funnd agus farum
Air aire ann t fluaigh,
Deadh ghean ann san uair,
A teannadh r'a h ól.
Ann san tigh bu mhór feadh,
Leis nach dragh aithnichean,
Muirn is caoin, a bhios air fheadh
Cupa 's gloin, canachan,
Coimhleirein airgid,
Dreois ghailtheach a'n eheir,
Feadh t aitreamh gu leir,
Is iad pailte gu leoir.

X

B'e do mhiann a luchd ealaidh,
Piob sgalanta chruaidh,
Le caithreim cho-luath,
'S a ghearradh' na meoir ;
Puirt fhiulacha mheara,
Is fìor alloil cur suas,
Ann an talla nam buagh
Bu bharrail mu'n stor.

Cruite ciuil, torman úr,
 Is é gu dluth ruidh-leumnach,
 Feadain lom, chruinne, dhonn,
 Thogadh fonn mireanach,
 Clárfach le grinneas,
 Bu bhian-fhoclach fuaime,
 'Sa cha tilleadh tu 'n duais,
 'Nuair a shireadh tu ceol.

XI.

'S iomadh ait' am bheil do charaid,
 A d'fharaid mu'n cuairt,
 Ann deas is ann tuáth,
 Cho' dleas'nach 's bu chóir ;
 Diubhc Earra-ghaidh'leach ainmeil,
 Ceann armait' nam buagh,
 Leis' na dhearbhadh lamh chrúaidh,
 Is ris an d'earbadh gu leoir.
 An t Iarlo' cliutach g'an dú'chas,
 Bhi 'n tour Bheallaich,
 A chuir an ruaig le chuid fluaigh,
 Air na fuar Ghallúich,
 Morair Loudon nan feang-each,
 Ard sheanoileir cainp,
 Fhuair urram command,
 Far na bhuidhin na feoid.

XII.

Tha iomadh cas eile,
 Nach ceilinn fan uair,

Tha tarruing ort buaidh,
 A mhaireas re d' bheo,
 Fuil rioghail air lafadh,
 Amach ann a'd ghruaidh,
 Cuir h aigne a fuas
 Le aiteas ró-mhor ;
 Tha buntam as leirfin
 Gu leir ann a'd phearfain,
 Fhir fhunataich na feile,
 Sgeul aobhain a b' ait leam,
 Na 'm faicinn a' maireach
 Le ábhachd 's le muirn,
 Bhi 'd charamh fu' 'n chrún
 Ann aite Ri' Deors'.

ORAN X.

Oran Ghlin-urcbaidh.

I.

M^UN d' thig ceann bliadhna tuille,
 Cha bhi sinn uile 'n Tora-mhuilt;
 Theid sinn thar na bealaichin,
 Do'n fhearann ann raibh 'n tlus :
 Far am bheil ar dislean,
 Ann san tír am bheil ar cuid ;

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'S an 't ait' an c6r dhuinn criochnachadh,
'S an tiodhlaicear ar cuirp.

II.

Is ann Clachan-an-difeirt,
Bu ghrinn bhi ann an diu,
Suidhe 'n eaglais mhior'ailteach,
Ann dasg bu riamhach cur,
Ag eisdeachd ris na dh'innseadh dhuin,
Am fear bu shiobhailt guth ;
Is 6 toirt sgeul a phiobail duin,
'S a bhrigh a' tigh'n gu buil.

III.

Gleannan bl6th na tioralachd,
Ann ro-mhaith 'n cinn an stuth,
Far am bheil na h innseagan,
Am bheil an siol ann cur :
Cinnidh arbhar crao'ach ann
Co'-chaoin gheal ris a' ghruth,
Gu reachdmhar, biadhchar, brioghmhar,
Tr6m, torach, liontach, tiuth.

IV.

Bu chriodhail bhi sa' gheamhradh ann,
Air bainsean gheibhteadh sp6rt,
Fonn cheol reidh na piobaireachd,
Cha bhiodh sgi6s mu a sgiur :
Fuaim nan teud aig fleirean,
A sheinneadh si6s na cuir ;

'S an luinneag fein aig nionagan,
Bu bhinne mhillfe guth.

V.

Gheibhteadh bradan fìor-uifg' ann,
A dìreadh ris gach fruth ;
Eoin an t sleibh gu lionmhor,
'S na milltean coileach dubh ;
Earba bheag an fgrìobain,
Na minnein chrìon 's na buic,
'Sa ghlean am bheil na frìgheachan,
'S na giomanaich 'n am bun.

VI.

O'n a thainig mi do'n fhearann so,
Cha 'n fhuigh mi pris an eoin,
'S cha 'n 'eil fàth bhi bruidhinn,
Mu'n fhear bhuidh' air am bi 'n cróc :
Cha b'ionnann 's bhi mar b'ámhaft damh,
Aig bráigh doire-chró,
Far am bi' na lán-daimh,
A ni 'n damhair ann fa cheo.

VII.

Mo shoruidh do Ghlean-urchaidh
Nan tulchan glasa feoir,
Far am bheil na sealgoirean,
'Sa fhuair iad ainm bhi córr ;
A dhíreadh ris na garbhluichean,
Am bidh greidh dhearg na leoir,

'S bhiodh gillean trom le callchan
A dh'fhágadh tarbhach bórd.

VIII.

'S an uair a thigteadh dhathigh leo,
Gu'm b'fhafanta bhur feól,
A fuidhe a stigh-thairne,
'S bhi dannsa marri ceól:
Croidhealas r'a cheile,
'S na béin a bhi 'gan ól;
'S cha 'n fhaiçte cúis 'na h'eigin'
Ann ám éigheach air an stóp.

ORAN XI.

Oran an t Samhraidh.

I.

'N UAIR thig an Samhra' geugach oirnn',
Theid siann nan speur o'n ghruamaiche,
Thig tlius is blás is aoibhneas. Theid
Gach ni g'a reir am buadhalachd.
Thig feart le neart na greine oirnn',
Ni 'n saoghal gu leir a chuartaichadh;
Thig teas o flios 'nuair dh'eir'eas i
Ni feum, 's cha treigear uainne é.

II.

Bí'dh pór ann an tír ghraiseirean,
 C hur síl ann fan tím ghnáthaicht' :
 A' toirt bridh as an úr nádurra ;
 O'n bhlár g'a bhárr a ghluaiseas é.
 Gu reachdmhor, breac, neo-fhailleanach,
 Trom-chuinlìonach garbh-ghráineanach
 Gu diafach, riathach, cáileanach,
 Gu biadhchar, lán, 'nuair bhuainear é.

III.

'S glan faileadh nan geug liomhiora,
 Mu ghárradh nan feud lion'ora,
 Am biodh áileagain glé riamhacha
 Le biás a' fìor-chur fhuadh' orra.
 Gu h úbhlach, peurach, figufach,
 Glan, brioghmhar, diomhair, guaimifeach
 Gach fráid' is áillidh gríneachan,
 Mar Pheálas Rìgh r'an cuartachadh,

IV.

'S ro-ghreannar gach gleann fìor-mhonaidh,
 Cur iomhaigh ghrinn an uachdar air ;
 Gach lus le bhár cho'-mhior'ailteach,
 A' fas fuidh mhìle fuaicheantas ;
 Gu duilleach, lurach, dítheanach,
 Glan, riamhach, lionmhor, cuaicheanach,
 Gu ropach, dofach, míseanach,
 Gu millteachail, mín uainealach.

V.

Bidh fonn air gach neach nádurra,
 Bhi fealltainn gach nì gnáthaichte ;
 Am blár lom a' cur dreach fáfaich air,
 Gach lá cur stráichd' neo-thruailli air,
 Gu molach, torach, cátuineach,
 Gu craobhach, cráfgach, cruafachdach,
 Gu h úrar, dú-ghorm, aileanta,
 Le fráfa blátha, bruidleanach.

VI.

Bi'dh gach frí gu liontach, feurach ; 's theid
 Na feidh 'nan eidi'dh suaicheanta,
 Gu h uallach, binneach, ceumannach,
 Grad-leumanach, bior-chluaifeanach,
 Gu crócach, caprach, ceir-ghealach ;
 Gu manngach, eanngach, eildeagach,
 'Gan grianadh fa' mhios cheiteanach,
 Air slios an t sleibh m'an cuartaich iad.

VII.

Bi'dh lao' re tao' gach aighe dhiubh,
 'Nan luidhe mar is cóir dhoibh ; bi'dh
 Gach damh is manng chò'aithearach,
 'Nuair thig Fil-leathan róid orra.
 Bu tuille loin is faoghail,
 Do gach neach a ghabhadh gaol orra
 Bhi tric ag amharc caol orra,
 Is ag eifdeachd gaoir an crónanaich.

VIII.

Bi'dh maoinleach a chinn ghunaich,
 A cur dreach is fhuadh is tuar orra,
 'Si tilgeadh cuilg a' gheamhraidh,
 A chuir gurt is greann is fuachd orra.
 O'n thainig blathas an t Samhraidh oirnn,
 Cuiridh ise mánntal ruadh orra,
 'S tha inntin ghrinn g'a reir aice,
 Gu fallain, feitheach, fuafgailteach.

IX.

Bi'dh am minnein úrar meanbh-bhallach,
 Gros tioram air a ghnúis bu sgeinmeile ;
 Gu mireineach, láthar, anmadail,
 Re sliannin na h earb' ann guailleachan.
 Bu chlis feadh pris mu an-moch iad,
 Gu tric fuidh ioc nam mean'-chuileag,
 Gu sgrideil, gibeach, gear-mhafach,
 An sliochd 'gan ainm na ruaghagan.

X.

Bi'dh gach creatair faillineach,
 A bha greis ann cás na fualalachd,
 A togail ann cinn gu h ábhachdach,
 O'n a thainig bláthas le buaidh orra.
 Na h 'eoin fa' phonnc am b'ámhaift doibh,
 Gu ceolmhar, fonnar, failteachail ;
 Feadh phreas is thom re gáirdeachas
 Gun chás a dh'fhágadh truailli iad.

XI.

'S neo-thruaillidh am pór lionmhor ud,
 'S gur speifeil grinn a ghluaiseas iad;
 Le'm beus a 'feinn mar fhíleirean,
 Gur h aoibhinn binn rem' chluasaibh iad.
 'S glan luinneagach, fíor-inntineach,
 A' chánmhain chinn thig uatha-fan:
 'S iad gobach, fgiathach, círeineach,
 Gu h iteach, dionach, cluaineiseach.

XII.

Bi'dh an coileach le thorman tuchanach,
 Air chnocana gorm a dúrdanaich,
 Puirt fhileanta, cheolmhor, fhiubhlacha,
 Le ribheid a' dlu'-chur feoil orra;
 Gob crom nam ponca luthora,
 'Sa chneas le dreach air a dhubhlacha'
 Gu slios-dubh, girt-gheal, úr-bhallach,
 'S dá chire a fugaradh boidheach ris.

XIII.

Thig a chuag fa' mhios cheitein oirnn,
 'S bi'dh 'n uifeag 'na feuchdan comhluadh ria
 'S an dreathan a gleufadh sheannsoirean,
 Air a gheig a's aird' a mhothuicheas e.
 Bi'dh choill gu leir 'na gleanntaichean,
 Air chrathadh le h'aoibhneas canntoireachd,
 Aig fuaim a chuanail cheannfalaich
 Feadh phreas, is chrann, is óganán.

XIV.

Na doireachean coill' bu diamhaire,
 'S na croinn mu'n iadh na smeoraichean,
 Theid gach craobh ann ciatoichead
 Bi'dh caochladh fiamh is neoil orra;
 Gu meanganach, direach, fniomhanach,
 Theid croidhe nam friamh ann sóghaireachd,
 Le trufgan úr g'a mhiudachadh,
 Bar-guc air mhiuraibh nófara.

XV.

Bi'dh am beatha gu cuifleach, fiuranach,
 Gu failleanach, flatach, úr-fhafach;
 Thig snothach fuidh 'n chairt is drúifealachd,
 Bi'dh duilleach is rúfg mar chomhdach air:
 Le bruthinn theid brigh na dúflain ann
 Am barrach dlúth nan óganan,
 Gu pluireineach, caoin, mao'-bhlaída,
 Mo roghainn do fhnaoifean froine é.

XVI.

'Sa bhíolaire luidneach, fhliom-chluafach
 Ghlas, chruinn-cheannach; chaoin, ghormneulach,
 Is i fás glan, uchd-ard, gilmeineach,
 Fuidh bar geal, iomlan, fonraichte;
 Air ghlaic, bu taitneach cearmonta,
 Le seamragan 's le neoineanan:
 'S gach lus a dh'fheudainn ainmeachadh,
 Cuir anbharr dhreach boidhehead air.

XVII.

Gur badanach, caoineil, míliona,
 Cruinn, mopach, mín-chruthach, mongoineach,
 Fraoch groganach, dúbh-dhonn, grís-dearg,
 Barr cluigeanach, sínteach, gorm-bhileach;
 Gu dofach, gafach, uain-neulach,
 Gu cluthor, cluaineach, tolmagach;
 'Sa mhil 'na fúdar gruaige dha,
 'Ga chumail suas ann spórfalachd.

XVIII.

'Si gruag an deataich riamhaich i,
 'S mór a brìgh 's is lionmhor buaidh orra,
 Ceir-bheach nan fgeap a cinntin orr',
 Seillean breac feadh tuim 'ga chruafachd fud,
 Gu cianail, tiamhaidh, frann aige,
 Air bharr nam meas a' dranndanaich,
 Bhiodh miann bhan óg is bhain-tighearnan
 'Na fhárdoich ghreannar, ghuamaifich.

XIX.

Is é gu friteach, riathach, ciar-cheannach,
 Breac, buidh, stiallach, frian-bhallach,
 Gobach, dubhanach, riafgach, iargalta,
 Ri gnìomh gu dian mar thuathanach;
 Gu furdail, grunn-dail, dianadach,
 Neo'-dhiomhanach 'na uaireinean;
 'Se fáile lufan fiadhaiche
 Bhios aige bhìadh 'fa thuarasdal.

XX.

Gach táin a's airde chruinnicheas
 Do'n áirigh uile ghluaiseas iad ;
 Thig blioc is dáir gun uireasbhuidh,
 Craobh árd air cuman gruagaiche.
 Na h aighean a's óige ládaire,
 Nach d'fhiofraich trá' nam buaraichean :
 Bi'dh luinneag aig righbhin chúl-duinn doibh,
 'Gam bríodal ciuin le duanagan.

XXI.

'S fíor ionmhuin mu thra' noine
 Na laoigh óga choir na buaile fin,
 Gu tarra-gheal, ball-bhreac, bótainneach,
 Sgiathach, druim-fhionn, fíoin-fhionn, guailleach,
 Is iad gu líth-dhonn, ciar-dhubh, cáraideach,
 Buidh, grís-fhionn, crá' dhearg, suaichionta,
 Seang, flios'ora díreach, fár-chumpach,
 Mín, slíogta, bárr an suanaiche.

XXII.

Bi'dh foirm is colg air creatairean,
 Gu stoirmeil, gleuft' 'g ath-nuadhachadh ;
 Le forgan torchuirt feudalach,
 An treud, 's an spreidh, 's am buachaille :
 An gleann, barrach, bileach, reidhleanach,
 Creamh, rainneach, reifg, is luachaireach,
 'S é caoin, cannach, mín-chruthach, ceutach,
 Fireach, sleibhteach, feurach, fwaranach.

XXIII.

Bi'dh mionntain, camomhil, 's fóghraichean,
 Géur-bhileach, lónach, luafganach,
 Cathair thalamhonta, 's carbhin chróc-cheannach,
 Gharg, amlach, rómach, chluas-bhíorach,
 Suthan láire, 's fáile ghroifeidean;
 Lan liligh' 's rófa cuaicheanach,
 Is clann-bheug a trufa' leólaichean,
 Buain chór ann cós nam bruachagan,

XXIV.

Bi'dh 'm blár fuidh stráichd le úraireachd,
 Oidhch' iuchair bhruinneach, cheo-bánach,
 Gach frábh 'fa bár air lúbadh orra
 Le cudthrom an drúichd 's le ló'dalachd
 'Na phaideirean lionmhar cúrnaineach,
 Gu brioghmhor, síghmhor, fólafach,
 Cuiridh ghrian gu dian 'na smúidean é,
 Le fiamh a gnúis fan óg-mhaduin.

XXV.

'Nuair a dhearfais a gnúis bhaoisgeil,
 Gu fial, flathail, fiamh, geal, caòineil oirn',
 Thig mhaitheas is gníomh le faibhireachd,
 Chuir loinn air an Roinn-eorpa fo;
 Le aoibhneas greine foillfeachadh,
 Air an speur gu reith a spaoileas i,
 Cuir an geil gach feum a rinn i dhuin,
 G'a fhoillfeachadh 's g'a mhoideachadh.

ORAN XII.

Oran do Chaithean Gearr Dhuineidin.

I.

A BHLIADHN' a chruinnich an campa,
'Sa thainig an trioblóid,
Bha Donnacha óg Caimbeal
Air cheann na milisi ;
Fear urramach, feolta,
Bu mhór foghlum as misneach,
G'an tarruing ann órdugh
Ann an coireanuibh míofail.

II.

'S mór do mhios aig na daoine,
Bh'air do thaobh ann fan uair fin,
A'dol air an adhairt,
Ann an aghaidh an fhuaghais ;
'Nuair bu bhrais a bha 'n teine,
As fras pheileir muncuairt dhuit,
'S ann air thoiseach na h armailt,
A dhearbh thu do chruadal.

III.

Ann an lá Chuíleoidir,
 A dol an toifeach a bhattait,
 'S mor a b'fheaird iad thu rompa,
 A thoirt doibh prosnacha facail;
 Fir Ghlinn-urchaidh bha 'd dhiaigh,
 'S bu tu roghain a Chaiptein,
 Ge bu sheanalair árd thu,
 B' fhiach thu an t aite bhi agad.

IV.

'S cha do smaointich thu gealltachd,
 'S cha b' 'afan leat cúram,
 'S ann a bha t inntin a togail
 An ám losgaidh an fhúdair;
 'S nan geur lannan glasa
 Bhi le braife 'g an rúsgadh,
 Bu tu ceannart an fheuchda
 Nach gabhadh feachda na lúbadh.

V.

Bu cheann-faona deus calm thu,
 Nach raibh cearbach a 'd ghaisgeadh,
 Tarruing suas do chuid daoine,
 'Nuair a sgaoileadh a bhrattach,
 Dh'eirich leatfa buaidh lárach,
 Ann 'sgach cás a chuaidh feachad,
 'S na fhuair thu do phairti
 Rinn thu 'n aireamh thoirt da-thigh.

VI.

'Ceann na ceill' as na cuideachd,
 Bu mhor tuigs' agus riasun,
 Am fear misneachail cliuteach,
 Comhlan úr do fhliochd Dhiarmaid ;
 Tha d' aigne mar leodhan,
 Chuir thu moran ann gnìomh dheth,
 Led' chainnt bhunnaitich phuncail,
 Sár chompanach iarl' u.

VII.

Dhearbh thu fein a bhi fuairce,
 Ann an uaisl' as an glaoine,
 'S ioma car air gach taobh dhiot,
 Air am feudainn do fhloinneadh,
 Shliochd nan comhlan bu chaoineile,
 O thigh Achaloinne,
 Do'n fhuil as airde fhliochd Dhiarmaid,
 Tha 'n dream chiatfhach g'am bheil thu.

VIII.

'Se meud na h uaisle tha 'd chorp,
 Tha sír chuir mosgla a'd inntin,
 Bu mhor t fheum ann fa chogadh,
 'Nuair a b' oifigeach Ri thu ;
 Rinn thu gnothach do chairdean,
 Gu natura díleas,
 'S cliu a chofnadh o'd naimhdean,
 'Nuair a thainic an t fìochaint.

IX.

A Bhliadhn' a thogadh na creachan,
 'S a loifgeadh aitreamh nan garbh-chrioch,
 'S mor a rinn thu g'am bacadh,
 O luchd nan casaga dearga,
 A liuthad beannachdan bhochdan,
 A rinn thu chos'nadh fan ám fin,
 Tha gu fiorruidh am freasdal,
 Ri bhi leafacha' d' anama.

X.

Cha b'e d' fhafan bhi 'n tí,
 Air cuid nam fìor dhaoine bochda,
 Ach an leigeadh roi' d' lionuibh,
 Ann sgach tír air 'n do chroisg thu,
 'Nuair bhiodh cach ann sna cúiltibh,
 Re spúindeadh 's re ropadh,
 'S ann a bhiodh tu le d' dhaoinibh
 Amach air aodain nan cnocean.

XI.

Bha thu teom' air gach fear-ghleus,
 A shiubhal garbhluich an t fleibhe,
 Bu tu roghain an t fealgoir,
 A dhol a mharbhadh na h eilte,
 Ann am fásach na coille,
 Na 'n doire na geige,
 Bu tu namhaid a choilich,
 Is moch a ghaoireadh fa' cheiteain.

XII.

'S maith thig 'éileadh cruinn uafal,
 Mun cuairt air do bhreacan,
 Bonaid ghorm a bhile fhíd ort,
 'S peiteag riomhach do'n tartan,
 Bróg theann air dheagh chumadh
 Mu'n troidh is cuimeir air faiche,
 'S air do chalpanna foilleir,
 Ofain ghaoraid as gartain.

XIII.

'S maith thig cloidheamh geur cuil ort,
 Lann úr nan tri chlaisfean,
 Tana, faobharach, fuileach,
 Eu-trom, guineach, geur, sgaiteach,
 Dias chuimeir do'n stailein,
 'Si spairt ann ceann aifnich,
 Ann an iomachar ualach,
 'S an crios guailean fan fhafan.

XIV.

Paidhir dhag air do ghiulan,
 B'é do rún a bhi 'd fhiubhal,
 Marri cuileabhair deus eu-trom,
 Gunna caol a bheoil chuthain,
 Aodharc chuimeir an fhúdair,
 Flafig chúlbhui 's beul luthaidh,
 Sgiath bhreac nam ball dlútha,
 Lann scriuta 'na h ubhal.

XV.

Cha mhios' thig dhuit biodag,
 Cho'-maith 'fa thigeadh o'n chearduich,
 Suioman lion'ora croma,
 Air a cois dhromanuich, chargnuich,
 'Si gu finealta, fgeanail,
 Direach, tana', gle fgeanamail,
 Eidir bhonn agus mhuineal,
 An taoim 'fan duille 's a chrambait.

XVI.

Bha thu uafal a tighin,
 Air gach flighe tha 'n taic riut,
 'S cha do leig thu fhein a rithisd,
 Bonn don d flighe ud feachad ;
 Fhir bu shiobhalta bruidhin,
 Bu tu breitheamh a cheartais,
 Sár phoiteir na dithe,
 G'an raibh 'n croidhe fial, farfuing.

XVII.

'S gach car a chuaidh dhiotfa,
 Ann an rioghachd na h Alba,
 Cha chualas do mhi-chliu :
 Air do fgriob feadh nan garbh chrìoch,
 Aig feothas do ghiulain,
 Bha chuis ud duit ainmeil,
 Le barantas dúbailt,
 Fhuair thu cliu na clia-sheanchuidh.

ORAN XIII.

Oran an Taileir.

I.

A DHOMH'UIL Bháin mhic ó Neacain,
Tha 'n droch nátur á d' phearfuin,
Cha ghnáthaich thu 'n ceartas,
Gus am báfaich thu 'n pheacadh,
'S mairg áit' ann s'na thachair,
Am ball-sampuil gun chneastachd,
'A rinn gráineil an fgaiteach'd ud oirn',
'A rinn graineil, &c.

II.

Fhir a thóifich re ealaidh,
Bha thu górach a d' bharail,
'Ga feóladh ám' charaibh,
'S gun mi t' fheóraich, no t' fharaid,
Chuir thu sgleó dhiot is fanoíd,
Cho dhiubh 's deoin leat no's ain-deoin,
Tha mi 'n dóchas gu'm faigh thu do leoir,
Tha mi, &c.

III.

Dhamh-fa b'aithne do bheufan ;
 Tha thu ain-eolach, beumnach,
 Is do theanga mar reufar,
 Le tainnead 's le geiread,
 Thug thu deannal damh fhein dith,
 O's ann agad tha 'n eacoir,
 Com' nach paidhin thu 'n 'eirig do fgeoil,
 Com' nach, &c.

IV.

'S tu chraobh ghrodlaich air crionadh,
 Lán mofgain, is fhíneag,
 A dh'fhás croganach, iosal,
 Gaoraid, crotach, neimh-dhireach,
 Stoc thu togairt a'n ghriosaich,
 A thoill do losgadh mar iobairt,
 Leig thu 'n foisgeul air di-chuimhn' gu mór,
 Leig thu, &c.

V.

Bu bheag an diúdbail é thachairt,
 An lá thúr thu na facail,
 Dá phunnd agus cairteal,
 A dh'fhúdar cruaidh, fgairteal,
 A bhi á d' bhroin air a chalcadh,
 'S bhi 'g ad' fgaíneadh le maitse,
 Gus am fáfach tu d' ablach gun deo,
 Gus, &c.

VI.

'S blíonach rithinn gun fheum thu ;
 Ge do bhitheadh tu 'm feithe,
 Coin is fithich a' d' theumadh,
 Cha bhiodh an diol beidh ac'.
 'S tric thu teann air 'na h eibhlean,
 Bhreac do shuimeir gu t éislich,
 Bláth an tein' air do fhleifidibh gu mór,
 Bláth, &c.

VII.

O nach Táileir is fhiu thu,
 Chuir cách as a' chuirte thu ;
 Bi'dh tu ghná ann 'sna cúiltean,
 A' cáradh nan lúireach,
 Bu tu áfuin nan clútan,
 'S tric a shúidh thu fán smúrach,
 'Nuair a bhithinns' air cúl fir nan cróc,
 'Nuair, &c.

VIII.

'S é do choltas r'a innseadh,
 Fear fop-cheannach, grímeach,
 Gun bhonait, gun phior-bhuic,
 Gun bhad-mullaich, gun chírean,
 L'om uil' air a spionadh,
 Cár gu t uilinn a fios ort,
 Stráchd na dunach do'n sgríbhich mu'd cheós,
 Stráchd, &c.

IX.

'S iomadh áit' ann 's na thachair,
 An taileir MacNeacain,
 Eidir Albain is Safun,
 Bailtean margaidh is machair,
 'S tric a shealg thu air praisich,
 O nach d' fhalbh thu le clapa,
 Choidh' cha mharbh e duin' aca do'n t síógh,
 Choidh', &c.

X.

'S duine dona gun mhios u,
 Dh'fhas gun onair gun ghliocas,
 Fear gun chomas gun bhríofgadh,
 Chaill do spionnadh 's do mhifneach,
 Leis na rinn thu do'n bhidseachd,
 Bu tu 'n flaidhtire misgeach,
 'S cian o'n thoill thu do chuipeadh mu'n ól,
 'S cian, &c.

XI.

'S iomadh ceapaire rómais,
 Rinn thu ghlacadh a' d' chrógan,
 Is bhi ga stailceadh le d' órdaig,
 Ann ad chap dheudach fgórnach,
 'S reamhar farfaing do fgórnan,
 Brú mar chuilean an ótraich,
 Fhuair thu urram nan geócach re d' bheo,
 Fhuair, &c.

XII.

Bi'dh na mnathan ag ráit,
 'Nuair a rachadh tu 'n airidh,
 Gun tolladh tu 'n t áros,
 Ann 'sam bitheadh an cáise ;
 'Nuair a dh'itheadh tu pairt deth,
 'S a bhiodh tu air trásgadh,
 Ann fa' mhuidhe gu'n spárr thu do chróg,
 Ann, &c.

XIII.

'S tu 'n tollaran cnáimhreach,
 Ge bu ghionach do mhaileid,
 Tha do mhionach air t' fhágail,
 Gun chrioman deth láthair,
 Cochall glogach mu d' áruinn ;
 Tha do fgamhan is d' áinean
 Lán galair is fáslaich, is chós,
 Lán, &c.

XIV.

Beul do chléibh air a thachdadh,
 Air séideadh 's air brachadh,
 'S é gu h 'eididh air malcadh,
 'S mór fheum air a chartadh,
 Gach aon ea-cail a' d' phearfuin,
 Caitheamh, 'eitich, is cafdaich,
 Gus an d' eirich do chraicean o' d' fheoil,
 Gus, &c.

XV.

Tha do chréuchdun, 's do chuirean,
 Lán ea-cail is trafdair,
 'S thu feumach air furtachd,
 Tha 'n deideadh a' d' phluicin,
 'S thu t eigin le clupaid
 D' anail bhreun, gu trom, murtaidh,
 'S maireadh' fheachadh dhiot moch-thradothéachd,
 'S maireg, &c.

XVI.

Do dheud fgrób-bhearnach, cabach,
 Am bheil na fgoir-fhiaclan glafa,
 Mofgain, cófacha, fgealpach,
 Luibte, grannda, cam, feachta,
 A null 's a nall air an tairfinn,
 Cuid diubh cailt, air dol afaid,
 'S na bheil ann diubh air spagadh do bheoil,
 'S na, &c.

XVII.

Bi'dh na ronnan gu filteach,
 'Nan tonnaibh gorm, ruidhteach,
 A gabhail toinneamh o' d' liopan,
 Thar cromadh do smige;
 'S dorcha doilleir do chlifneach,
 Comh-dubh ris a phice,
 Uchd na curra, cean circ' ort, gob geóidh,
 Uchd, &c.

XVIII.

Do mhaol chruacach air faileadh,
 Gun chluafan, gun fhailleán ;
 Tha thu uainealach tanna,
 Co'-chruaidh ris an darach ;
 'S thu gun fuanach, gun anart,
 'S adh'r truais thu re d' ghearan,
 'S gu fuair thu na gailleán an reót,
 'S gur, &c.

XIX.

Tha cean binneach 'na stúic ort,
 Geotach, leith-cheannach, giugach,
 Aodan brucainneach, grugach,
 Srón phlucach na múire,
 Tha cruit air do chúlaobh,
 S moran lurcuich a'd' ghlúinibh,
 Dá chois chamá, chaol, chrúbach, gun treoir,
 Dá chois, &c.

XX.

Cha 'n 'eil uiread nan fáiltean,
 Aig á phliutaire spágach,
 Nach 'eil cuspach is gágach,
 Tha thu d' chrioplach 's a'd' chraigheach,
 Bliommhor tubaist an táleir,
 Dh' fhág an faoghal 'na thráil é,
 'S mairg a shaóraich air h árach 's tu óg,
 'S mairg, &c.

XXI:

Mu's ann do fhliochd Adhamh thu,
 Cha cholfach re cách thu,
 Aig olca 's a dh' fhás thu,
 O thoifeach do láithean :
 Cha 'd thig cobhair gu bráth ort,
 Gus am foghain am bás duit,
 'S do chorp ódhar a cháramh fè'n fhóid,
 'S do chorp, &c.

ORAN XIV.

Cumha' Ghileaspaig Achaladoir.

I.

GUR muladach tha finn,
 Mu Mháidfeir Achaladoir;
 E bhí dhí air an aireamh,
 'Nuair thainig cách thairis oirn',
 Chuaidh gach duine g'an áite,
 'S an leith-páigh 'ga tharuing ac',
 'S ann tha eisean air fhágail,
 Ann san ár-fhaich gun charuchadh.

II.

Bu cheann-feadhna deas calm' thu ;
 'N ám dhuit falbh as an fhearann so,
 Air thoifeach na h armailt,
 Far 'na dhearbh thu do cheann-ardachd,
 Chaidh tu null air muir-dhubh-ghuirm,
 'S bhi 'ga stiubhradh le Maraichean,
 Dol ma choinneamh nam Francach,
 Is iad 'nan camp air gach Gearasdan.

III.

Bha thu cruadalach, dána,
 Ann sgach cás a bhiodh barraichte,
 A' dol air h adhairt sna bláruibh ;
 Bu neo-sgáthach 'gan taruing thu,
 Thug sin thu gu áite,
 'S theireadh each gur tu b'airidh air,
 Bha do misneach is d' eolas,
 Mar á dh' fhoghnadh dó sheanalair.

IV.

Bha d' aigni mar leomhan,
 Ann am mór-chuis, le fearachas ;
 Brais is árdan le cheile,
 Ann ám feuma no cabhaige,
 Lamh chruaidh air chul sceith,
 Cho' tréabhach 's a b' aithne dhamh ;
 'S ann ám bhualadh nan speicean,
 Cha raibh deifin ann ceangal riut.

V.

Be do mhiann na 'h airm ghaifge,
 Bhi gu acuineach, farumach;
 Coilobhar caol fnaithte,
 Nach do dhiult a snap aingeal duit,
 Lann thana, gheur, stailin,
 Chruaidh, laidir gu gearradh,
 Deigh spionna do laimhe,
 Bhiodh do namhad 'fa gearanach.

VI.

Ann an lá blár champin,
 'Nuair bhuaill an tacaíd an seanalair,
 Chuaidh a lot ann san áraich,
 'S dh'fhág each a call foladh é,
 Thug thu mach e air ghiulan,
 'Sin an turn nach raibh aithreach dhuit,
 'N ám fuithe na cuirte,
 'S gach aon chuís be do charaid é.

VII.

'S é la Phealan-houfain
 A rinn an diuthail gu 'h ath-ghaoraid,
 'Nuair a thuit an commandair,
 A' b' aird' air na fearuibh 'ud,
 Air a phicaíd a bha thu,
 Ofeionn chách fhuair thu barantas,
 Ann an onoir na rioghachd,
 'S an righ fhad 's bu mhairthean thu.

VIII.

Ge do theireadh luchd fáoineachd,
 An taobh fo gu h ain-eolach ;
 Gu'n do thearuing fliochd Dhiarmad,
 Gun reabadh, gun ghearradh ann,
 'Nan sealladh iad díreach,
 'S gu'm bi 'n fhirin a chanadh iad ;
 'S mór ar call le Rìgh Deorsa,
 O'n a thoifich a charraid fo.

IX.

Chaidh Gilespic a bhualadh,
 Thain' an luaithe na deannuimh air,
 Far nach fhaiceadh é naimhdean,
 'S craobhan arda 'gam folach air ;
 Thuit misneach na páirti
 A bha 'n la' sin ann caradh dhuit,
 Bha 'n taic air am fágail,
 'Nuair a bha thu gun anail ac'.

X.

'Nuair a thainig a gháfaid,
 Thug fios do bháis thairis duinn,
 Bu mhuladach, cráiteach,
 Do bhrathair, 's do phearuichean ;
 Do chleamhnun gu 'h áraid,
 'S do chairdean a bharrachd orr' ;
 'S bu mhor an cin-fáth air,
 'S 'nu bha air an aire-sin.

XI.

Bha thu maith ann ám fíochaint,
 Gu fíobhalta, farasta,
 Cho-uafal ad' inntin,
 'S gu'm bu ghrinn gach ní chanadh tu;
 Mar bu dual duit ód fhins' reachd,
 Thaobh gach linn a chaidh tharud diu,
 Cruaigh a sheufamh na láruch,
 'S bhí bláth an ám caruinis.

XII.

Bu tu maighfidir na tuatha,
 'S an deagh uachdaran fearruin,
 Ann ám paighe dhuit cífean,
 Cha bhíodh díth air do theanandan;
 'Stu nach fealladh gu míothur
 Air an ní thoirt a dh'ain-deoin uap',
 'Se bu mhianach led' inntin,
 Iad a chinntin mar ráineach dhuit.

XIII.

Bu tu croidhe na feile,
 Ceann na ceil' is a cheanaltuis,
 Bu mhaith labhairt is leirfin,
 'Nám dhuit fein bhí meafg aithnichin,
 Sár phoiteir an fhiona,
 Lamh dhioladh nan galan thu,
 Marcach funntach eich cheumnaich,
 Bhuithneadh réis ann an cabhaig thu.

XIV.

'S an deireadh an' t fámhraidh,
 Thug do naimhdean an aire dhuit,
 'Nuair a fhuair iad o'n champ thu,
 Air command a mhór challa dhuin,
 'S adhbhar mulad as campuir,
 Do gach aon duine dhearadh ort,
 Bhi cluinntin do bheufan,
 'S gun tu fhein a bhi mairtheán ac'.

ORAN XV.

Cumha' Cbailein Glinn-iuthair,

I.

SMAOINTEAN truagh a th'air m' aigne,
 Dh' fhág orm smuairean, is airfneul,
 Ann ám gluafad am leabidh,
 Cha chadal ach dúifg,
 Tha mo ghruaighean air feachda',
 Gun dion uair air mo rosguibh,
 Mu'n fgeul a chualas o'n Appuin,
 A ghluais a chaismeachd 'ud duin',

Fear Glinn-iuthair a dhí oirn',
 Le puthar luchd mio-rúin,
 Mo sgeul duthach r'a innseadh
 Thu bhi 'd fhíne' san úir,
 'S truagh gach duine do 'd dhílsean,
 O'n a chuaith do chorp prífeil,
 Ann ciste chuthainn, chaoil, dionaich,
 'S ann an lín-anart úr.

II.

B'e fin an corp áluin,
 'Nuair bha thu roimhe fo 'd fhlainge,
 Gun chion cumachd, no fás ort,
 Gu foinnimh, daicheil, deus, úr,
 Suairce, foifinneach, fáilteach,
 Uafal, iorafal, baidheil,
 Caoineil, cineadail, cairdeil,
 Gun chron r'a gh'rait air a chúl,
 Lán do ghliocas, 's do leirfin,
 Gu dana, miofnachail, treubhach,
 Gach ait' an fírte gu feum thu,
 'S ann leat a dh'eireadh gach cúis;
 B'e do choimeas an dreagan,
 Na 'n t feothag 'sna speuran,
 Co bu choslach r'a cheile
 Ach iad fein agus tu?

III.

'S cruaidh an teacair a thainic,
 'S truagh mar thachair an drásta,

Nach do sheachain thu 'n t áite,
 'N do ghlac am bás, thu air thús;
 Suas o chachuile gháruidh,
 Fhuair thu 'n tacaíd a chráith mi,
 'S gun do thaic a bhi laimh riut,
 'Nuair ghabh iad fáth ort o'd chúl,
 Air do thaobh 's thu gun chomhradh,
 San ám 'n do chaochail an deo uait,
 D' úil chraobhach, dhearg, bhoidheach,
 A gabhail dorta 'na brúchd,
 Le gníomh an amadain ghóraich,
 A bha gun aithne gun eolas,
 A chreic anam air stóras,
 Nach do chuir ann trócair a dhúil.

IV.

B'e 'n croidhe gun tioma, gun deisein,
 Gun ádh, gun chineas, gun cheatamh,
 A chuir lamh a'd mhille gun reafan,
 Le cion ceil' agus túir,
 'Se ghlác mar chomhairl' an eucoir,
 'S boc an gnothach mar dh'eirich,
 Dh'fhág é sinne fuidh euslain,
 Is e fein 'na fhear cúirn,
 'S ge nach fámhach a leaba,
 Le eagal a ghlacadh,
 Cha 'ne tha mi 'g acain,
 Ach mar a thachair do'n chúis,
 An t armun deus, tlachdmhor,
 A tha 'n dráft' ann Ardchátain,

An deis a cháramh an tafguidh,
Ann áite codail nach dúifg.

V.

'Se do chadal gu fíoruidh,
A dh'fhág m' aigne cho tiomhaidh ;
'S tric fmaointeana diomhain,
A tigh'n gu dian orm as úr,
'S trom a dh'fhás orm an iargain,
As goirte tárfa na 'm fiadhrus,
Mo chomh-alt áluin, deus, ciatfach,
An deis a reubadh gu dlú' ;
Míle molachd do'n laimh fín,
A ghabh cothrum is fáth ort,
A thug an comas do'n lamhach,
'Nuair chuir e 'n Spáinteach r'a fhúil,
Sgeula foilleir a b' áil leam,
Gu'n cluinnt' am follais aig cách,
E bhi dol ri crommaig le fíradh,
Gus am míosa dha-fa na dhuinn.

VI.

Ge b'e neach a rinn plót ort,
Le droch dhúrachd o thoifeach,
Bu dana chúis dha tigh'n ort-fa,
Na do lota as úr ;
Bha 'na rún bhi gu h olc dhuit,
'S gun a chroidh' aig aodan a nochdadh,
'S ann a thain' é fámhach mu'n chnocan,
'S a ghabh ort focair o'd chúl.

'S é mo dhiúthail a thachair,
 Ann ám do'n fhúdar 'ud lafadh,
 Nach raibh 'ad chairdean ann taic riut,
 Na bheireadh aicheamhail diú';
 'Sa liuthad fiuran deus, tlachdmhor,
 Nach gabhadh cúram ro' bhagra,
 A chuireadh fmúid ris an Appuin,
 A chion gu'm faiceadh iad thu.

VII.

'S trom a pháigh finn an iobairt,
 A chuir ar namhaid a dhí oirnn,
 Ged' tha 'n aich'mhail gun díoladh,
 Thig fhathasd liondan mu'n chúis,
 Chuireas cách ann staid íofail,
 Airfon an aileagain phriofail,
 Bh' ann san áite mar fhírean,
 A chleachd firinn is cliu:
 'S boc an nuaidheachd r'a aireamh,
 Gur ann an nasguidh a tha thu,
 Nach d'thainic fhathasd mu'n chás 'ud,
 Na dheanadh ábhachd thoirt duinn,
 Ach air fhad 's gam bi' dáil ann
 Comh cheart 's tha mi 'g raite,
 Bi'dh an fhalachd 'ud paighte,
 Mun d' theid an garmhlas air chúl.

VIII.

'S iad na fineachan laidir,
 Bu mhaith a ghabhail do pháirti,

Ann Rìgh, is Diuc Earaghaidheal,
 Nach fhaiceadh fáilinn ad' chúis,
 Iarla dligheach Bhraidealban,
 Air thús a tighinn gun chearbuich,
 'S gur ioma' fear armach,
 A fheas'adh calma r'a chúl ;
 Mac Caoi 's a luchd leanmhuin,
 Leis an eireadh fuinn nach bu leanbuidh,
 Na laoich buidhneach, mhór, mheamnach,
 Le'n lanna ceann-bheartach, cúil ;
 Mac Dhom'uil duith, 's cloinn Chamroin,
 'S gu leoir a thighearnan ainmeal ;
 'S fhad o'n chuala' finn feachas,
 Gu'n do dhearbhadh iad an cliù.

IX.

'S ghabh thu áite le órdugh,
 Air páirt do Shrath-lochay,
 'S cha b' ann air ghaol-ftórais,
 'Na los am pórfan thoirt diú' ;
 Ach a sheufamh an córach,
 Le meud dó cheifd air an t feors' ud,
 'S an oidhre dleasnach air fogra,
 G'am bu choir bhi fa' chúirt :
 'S ge do theireadh luchd fáoineachd,
 Gu'n raibh 'd aire-fa daonan,
 Bhi sgainneart nan daoine ud,
 Na 'n leigeadh fgaoilteach air chúl,
 Chíte fhathasd a chaochladh,
 Num fuighe tu faoghal,

Gur é bhi tarruing luchd gaoil ort,
As gach taobh, a bha 'd rún.

X.

Bu tu croidhe na feile,
Dh' fhás gu tighearnail, ceut'ach,
Ann lathair briteamh Dhuineidin,
'S tric a reitich thu cáis ;
'S oil lean caramh do cheud-mhna,
'S óg a bantrach ad' dheidh i,
Lion campar gu leir i,
O'n a dheug a ceile deus, úr ;
Fhuair mi 'n sealladh nach b' aoibhin,
An uaigh mud' choinnimh 'ga reitich,
'S truagh gach comman thug speis dhuit,
O'n chuaidh tu fein ann fan úir,
'S gun dúil a nois' ri thu dh'éiridh,
'Se dh'fhág mise fuidh eu-flain,
Bhi 'n diu ag innseadh do bheufan,
'S nach d' thig thu dh'eisdeachd mo fgiúil.

H

ORAN XVI.

Marbh-rann coilich.

I.

AN cuala sibh an t fealg,
A bha ainmeal air feadh nam bailtean;
Rinneadh i fan an-moch,
'S cha b' fhear dhuinn i bhi fa mhaduin;
O'n a' bha i cearbach
Le dearbhadh, 'nuair chuaidh i feachad,
Cumaidh sinn am foirm,
Gu'n raibh'n dorch ann, 's nach fheudta faicinn.
'S olc an obair oidhche,
Le coinnean, ged' theid an lafadh,
Gunnaireachd dhaoin óga;
'S i ghóraich a thug amach iad.

II.

Chúal iad fa h uil' aite,
Am breamas a rinn Páraic,
'Nuair a dh'innis é do chách é,
Gu'n d' thainig an croman-lachdan,
Bheireadh' é na bóidean
Gur mór é, 'fa bhroileach glas air,
Is gu'n do luidh é direach
Air círein mulaich na h aitreabh.

Mur cumadh a' chomhl' é,
 Gu'm biodh na h eoin air an fgapadh;
 Nach mór a bhiodh beo dhiubh,
 Gu'n leon mu'n d' thigeadh a' mhadain.

III.

Sin 'nuair ghlac an fealgair,
 An gunna bh' air an ealchain,
 'S chuir é luaith gharbh innte,
 Dairearach do'n acfuin Shas'naich:
 Chum é fúd r'a shealbhan,
 'S gu'm b' fhear gu'n rachadh i feachad,
 'S ann a rinn é marbhadh,
 A b' ainmic a leithid fhaicinn.
 'Nuair a las am fúdar,
 'S é 'n dúil gu'n dianadh é thapadh,
 'Se coileach an dúnain,
 A bha 'n a chrúban fa chlappail.

IV.

B'é fin an coileach boidheach,
 Bha cuid air fiamh an óir dheth,
 Cuid eile mar na rófan,
 'S bha mórán deth mar an sneachda.
 Bu leathan a chrógan,
 B'é 'n smógairneach é air faithche,
 Bu ro-mhaith na bótan,
 An rómaich' a bh' air a chofan;
 Bha spuir air a spógan,
 Bha córr a dh'ionnfuidh a' ghleachdaidh,

'Nuair a thigeadh Di-máirt',
A bhiodh cách a' feuchain an gaifge.

V.

B'é sin an coileach ceutach,
Bha còfach ris a' pheacaig,
'S an uair a chuaidh a reubadh,
B' é 'n déisean leam bhi 'ga fhaicinn,
Cha leighiscadh leigh é,
'Sa chreuchdan a' dol am braifead',
Tonnan g'a fhuil chrao'aich,
A taomachadh as a chraicean.
An t sealg a rinn na daoine,
Gun faoireachadh fad' air astar,
Gun uchdach a dhíreadh,
Ach eidir a ghriófach 's an stairfneach.

VI.

'S an dithifd thug am bínne,
'S a dh' fhág é sin 'na fhíneadh,
B' é 'm breitheamh rinn a dhíteadh
'S b'é 'n gíomanach rinn a leagadh,
'S cha 'n fhágadh iad fhios é,
Nam fuigheadh é fírinne is ceartas:
Cha d'rinn é riamh ea-coir,
'S deadh bheusan aige mar fhasan.
Theannadh é re eigeach,
Gu h eifeachdach 's fínn 'nar codal,
Is dhúifgeadh é gu leir fínn,
'S gu'n eireamaid ann sa mhadain.

VII.

Chruaidh litir a Shrath-eirion,
 A dh' ionnfuidh nion Sheumais,
 A dh' innfeadh ceart an sgeula,
 Do'n té dhiubh air am bheil Sefi.
 Gu bheil sinn fuidh champar,
 O'n ám an d' thainig an sneachda,
 Mu'n choileach a chaill sinn,
 A's gann a dh' fheudar a sheachnadh,
 O's té nach 'eil teann i,
 'S nach ganndar a rinn i chleachdadh,
 Gu'n dean i ruinn fábhor,
 O's ámhait rud a bhí aice.

VIII.

Beannachd aig an righbhinn,
 A bha gu fuairce siobhailt,
 Nach do leig air di-chuimhn',
 An sgriobha sin a chuir dha-thigh;
 Chuir i gill 'an tír fo,
 Le fioltaiche do na cearcan,
 'S ghiulain é gu riomhach,
 A ghibht phríofail ud na achlais.
 Tha dreach an fhir a dh' fhág sinn,
 A fás air an fhear a th' againn,
 'S o'n tha e, na áite,
 Saoilidh cách gur h é mhac é.

 ORAN XVII.

Oran, mór gun deanadh Nian é do Niain eile.

I.

CHUIR nian du' Raineach orm' farran is mi-
 thlachd,
 Nach cuir mi dhiom le cabhaig an dráft,
 Ghaoid i mo fporran, 'sna dollair gu lionmhor,
 Bh' agam fu' 's niofal feathamh re m' laimh.

II.

Nam biodh a chail' 'ud gu daingeann am príofan,
 Rachuinn g'a díteadh dh'ionnfuidh a bháis;
 A cñion gu'n do ghaoid i 'n rud beug bha fa'
 chlúdan,
 Bh' agam fa' chúil nach d' innis mi chách.

III.

'S muladach mise gun fhios ciod é nī mi,
 O'n a tha mi gun fearrach, gun lair,
 Gun chaora, gun oisg, gun ghabhar, gun mhí-
 feach,
 Gun a mart mín a chraoimeas am blár,

IV.

Cha raibh mi gun airgiod gus an d' fhalbh e
go mi-mh'ail,

Leis an te chrion nach do fheal air mo chás,
Rinn i mo chreachadh 's bu pheacach an ní dhi',
Mis 'a chuir fios, gun i fein chuir a naird.

V.

Ciomar a cheanuicheas mí camruig na síde,
Na 'n leig mi dhìom é tuille gu bráth ;
Ged' thig a marfant le phachda do'n tír,
Cha 'n fhaigh finn aon síon bhios aige air dáil.

VI.

Bha mho chuid stórais am phoca co-uallach,
'S ged' a bhiodh buaile mhart air mo fgáth,
'Si rinn an eu-coir a bheifd a thug uam é,
'S tha mi fu' ghrúaim 'o mhaduin Di-mairt.

VII.

A rìgh nach raibh mairlich na cearna fo 'n
rioghachd,
Ann sa mhuir iofail, fada 'o thráigh ;
Is caile dhuth Raineach fan eummain an iochdar,
Chuideacha bi' do phartan nan spág.

ORAN XVIII.

Oran Bein-Dourain.

Air fonn, Piobaireachd.

U R L A R.

I.

AN t urran thar gach beinn
Aig Beinn-dourain,
Na chunnaic me fuidh 'n ghrein,
Si bu bhoidhche leam,
Monadh fada, réidh,
Cuilidh 'm fuighte féidh,
Soilleireachd an t sleibh,
Bha mi sonruchadh,
Doireachan nan geug,
Coill' ann sam bi feur,
'S foineasach an spreidh,
Bhios a chomhnuidh ann ;
Greadhainn bu gheal céir,
Faoghaid air an deigh,
'S laoghach leam an freud,
A bha froineiseach.

'S aigeannach fear ea-trom,
Gun mhór-chuis,
Theid fafanda na eitidh,
Neimh-spórfail,
Thá mhanntal uime feín,
Caidhtiche nach treig,
Brattach dhearg mar cheir,
Bhios mar chomhdach áir;
'S culuidh g'a chuir eúg,
Duin' a dheanadh teúichd,
Gunna bu mhaith gleús,
Ann glac óganaich,
Spor ann fam biodh bearn,
Tarran air a ceann,
Snap a bhuaileadh teann.
Ris na h orduibh i;
Ochdghlisneach gun fheall,
Stoc do'n fhiodh gun mheang,
Lotadh an damh feang,
Is a leonadh é.
'S fear a bhiodh mar cheaird,
Riu' sonraichte,
Dh' fhodhnadh dhoibh gun taing,
Le chuid feolanain;
Gheibhte sud re ám
Padruic ann fa' ghleann,
Gilleán as coin sheang,
'S é toirt orduibh dhoibh;
Peileirean nan deann,
Teine g'an cuir ann,

Eilid nam beann árd,
Theid a leonadh leo.

S I U B H A L.

II.

'Si 'n eilid bheag, bhinneach,
Bu-ghunuiche fraonadh,
Le cuinnein geur, biorach,
A fireadh na gaoithe,
Gafganach, speireach,
Feadh chreachan na beinn,
Le eagal roimh theine,
Cha teirin i 'n t aonach;
Ge do theid i na cabhaig,
Cha ghearain i maothan;
Bha sinnfireachd fallain,
'Nuair a fhíneadh i h annail,
'S toil-inntin leam tannaig,
G'a lanngan a chluinntin,
'Si 'g iarraidh a leannain,
'N ám darraidh le caoi'neas,
'S é damh a chin alluidh
Bu gheal-cheireach feaman,
Gu caparach, ceann-árd,
A b' fharumach raoiceadh,
'S é chomhnuidh 'm Beinn-dourain,
'S é eolach m'a fraoinibh.

'S ann am Bein-dourain ;
Bu mhór dhamh r'a innfeadh,
A líuthad damh ceannard,
Tha fanntuin fan fhrí ud,
Éilid chaol, eangach,
'S a laoi ghean 'ga leantuin,
Le 'n gasgana geala,
Re bealach a díreadh,
Re fraoidh choire-chruiteir,
A chuideachda phíceach :
'Nuair a fhíneas i h iongan,
'S a theid i na' deannaibh,
Cha faltradh air thalamh,
Ach barra nan ínean,
Co b'urraín g'a leantuin,
A dh' fhearaibh na rioghachd ?
'S arraideach, farumach,
Carach air gríne,
A chóifri nach fhanadh
Gné smal air an inntin
Ach caochlaideach, curaideach
Caol-chafach, ullamh,
An aois cha chuir tru'm orra,
Mulad, no mí-ghion ;
'Se fhlánuich an culaidh,
Feoil mháis, agus mhuineil,
Bhi támhachd am bunailt,
Ann cuilidh na fríthe,
Le áilleas a fuireach,

Air fáfach 'n an grunnaibh,
 'Si 'n áfain a mhuime,
 Tha cumail na cíche
 Ris na laoigh bhreaca, bhallach,
 Nach meathluich na fiannta,
 Le 'n criodhacha meara
 Le bainne na cipe,
 Groifeanach, eangach,
 Le 'n girteaga geala,
 Le 'n corpanna glanna,
 Le fallaineachd fíor uifg;
 Le farum gun ghearan,
 Feadh ghleannan na milltich;
 Ge do thigeadh an sneachda
 Cha 'n iarradh iad aitreabh,
 'Se é lag a choir'-altrum
 Bhios aca g'an diodunn.
 Feadh stacan, is bhacan,
 Is ghlacaga díomhair,
 Le 'n leapaichean fásfach,
 An taic Ais-an-tíain.

U R L A R.

III.

Tha 'n eilid ann fan fhrí
 Mar bu chóir dhi bhi,
 Far am fuigh i millteach
 Glan-feórnaineach :

Bruchorachd is cíp,
 Luisean am bi brigh,
 Chuireadh fult is igh
 Air a lóineinibh.
 Fuaran ann 's am bi
 Biolaire gun díth,
 'S milfe lea' na 'm fion,
 'S é gu'n óladh i.
 Cuifeagan is riafg,
 Chinneas air an t fliabh,
 B' annfadh lea' mar bhiadh
 Na na fóglaichean.
 'S ann do'n tìochd-an-tír
 A bha féghar lea',
 Sobhrach is eala-bhì
 'S bara neónagan :
 Dobhrach bhallach, mhín,
 Ghobhlach, bharrach, fhliom,
 Lóintean far an cinn
 I 'na móthraichean.
 Súd am pórfan bídh
 Mhéudaicheadh an clí,
 Bheireadh iad a níos
 Ri ám dó-lith'chean :
 Chuireadh air an druim
 Brata faille cruinn,
 Air an carcais luim
 Nach bu lódail.

B' é sin an caidreamh grinn
 Mu thrá' nóine,
 'Nuair a thionaladh iad cruinn
 Ann fa' ghlómuinn :
 Air fhad 's ga'm biodh an oidhch',
 Dad cha d' thigeadh ribh,
 Fafgadh bhun an tuim
 B' áite cómhnuidh dhaibh.
 Leapaichean nam fiadh,
 Far an raibh iad riamh,
 Ann aonach farfaing fial,
 'S ann am mór-mhonadh.
 'S iad bu taitneach fiamh,
 'Nuair bu daithte am bian,
 'S cha b'i 'n airc am miann,
 Ach Beinn-dórain.

S I U B H A L.

IV.

A bheinn luifeanach, fhailleanach,
 Mheallanach liontach,
 Gun choi'-meas 'ga falluing
 Air thalamh na Criofd'achd ;
 'S ro-neónach tha mise,
 Le bóidhchead a sliofa,
 Nach 'eil cóir aic' an ciste
 Air tiotal na rioghachd :
 'S i air dúbladh le gibhtibh,
 'S air húifreadh le miosfaibh,

Nach 'eil bichiont' a' bristeadh

Air phrifeanaibh tíre :

Lán trufgan gun deireas,

Le ufgruichean coille,

Bar guc' air gach doire,

Gun choir' ort r'a innseadh ;

Far an uchd-ardach coileach,

Le fhriutaichibh loinneil,

'S eoin bhuchalach bheag' eile

Le'n ceileiribh lionmhor.

'S am buicean beag fgiulta,

Bu sguibealt' air gríne,

Gun fgiorradh gun tubuist',

Gun tuisleadh gun díobradh,

Crodhanach biorach

Feadh coire 'ga shireadh,

Feadh fraoich agus firich,

Air mhireadh 'ga dhíreadh ;

Feadh rannoich is barraich

Gu'm b' araideach inntinn,

Ann an íosal gach feadain,

'S air áirde gach creagain,

Gu mireanach, beiceasach,

Easgonach sínteach.

'Nuair a theid é 'na bhoile

Le clifge fa' choille,

Is é ruidh feadh gach doire,

Air dheireadh cha bhi é.

Leis an eangaig bu chaoile
 'S é b' ea-truime sínteag,
 Mu chnocanaibh donna
 Le ruidh dara-tomain,
 'S é togairt ann coinniumh
 Bean-chomeinn os 'n iofal.
 'Tha mhaoisleach beag bhranngach
 Sa' ghleannan a chómhruidh,
 'S i fuireach san fhireach
 Le minneinean óga :
 Cluas bhiorach gu claipteachd,
 Súil chorrach gu faicinn,
 'S i earbfach 'na casan,
 Chur feachad na móintiech.
 Ge do thig Caoilte 's Cuchullin,
 'S gach duine do'n t feórs' ud,
 Na tha dhaoine 's do dh' eachaibh,
 Air fafta' Righ Deórfa,
 Nan tearnadh a croicean
 O luaithe 's o lafair,
 Cha chual' is cha 'n fhac' i
 Na ghlacadh r'a beo i ;
 'S i grad-charach, fad-chofach,
 Aigionnach neónach,
 Geal-cheireach gasganach,
 Gealtach roi' mhadadh,
 Air chaifead na leachdainn
 Cha faltradh i cómhnard,

'Si noigeanach, groigeafach,
 Gog-cheannach, fórnach :
 Bior-shúileach, fgur-shuileach,
 Frionafach, furachair,
 A fuireach' fa' mhonadh,
 Ann do thuinich a feórfa.

U R L A R.

V.

B'i sin a' mhaoifleach luaineach,
 Feadh óganan ;
 Biolaichean nam bruach
 'S áite-cómhnuidh dh'i,
 Duilleagan nan craobh,
 Bileagan an fhraoich,
 Criomagan a gaoil,
 Cha b'e 'm fótrus.
 A h aigneadh ea-trom fuaire,
 Aobhach ait gun ghruaim,
 Ceann bu bhraife, ghuaraiche,
 Ghóraiche ;
 A' chré bu cheanalt' stuaim,
 Chalaich i gu buan
 Ann gleann a' bharaich uainé
 Bu nófaire.
 'S tric a ghabh i cluain
 Sa' chreig mhóir,
 O'n is miosail leátha bhi luan
 Is a dhómhnach ann :

Pris an dean i fuain
 Bichionta m'an cuairt,
 A bhrifteas a' ghaoth tuath,
 'S nach leig deo orra,
 Am fàsgadh doire-chró,
 An taiceadh ris an t fróin,
 Am meafg nam faillean óg
 Is nan cófagan.
 Mafgadh 'n fhuarain mhóir,
 'S é pailte gu leór,
 'S blasda lea' na bheoir
 Gu bhi póit orra.
 Deoch do'n t fruthan uafal
 R'a ól aice,
 Dh' fhágas fallain fuafgailteach
 Ogail i :
 Grad-charach re uair,
 'S eathlamh bheir i cuairt
 'Nuair thachaireadh i'n ruaig
 'Sa bhiodh tóir orra.
 'S mac-bhuidh daíht' a fnuagh,
 Dearg a dreach fa tuar,
 S gur a h iomadh buaigh
 Tha mar chómhluath orra ;
 Fulangach air fuachd,
 Is i gun chum' air luathas ;
 Urram claisteachd cluas
 Na Rinn-Eorpa dh'i.

SIUBHAL.

VI.

Bu ghrinn leam am pannal
 A' tarruing 'ann órdugh,
 A' díreadh le farum
 Ri carraig na fróine.
 Eidir fliabh craobh-na-h-ainnis,
 Is beul choire-dhaingein
 Bu bhiadhchar greidh cheann-ard
 Nach ceannaich am pórfan ;
 Dá thao' choire-rannoich
 Mu sgéith sin a' bhealaich,
 Coire réidh Beinn-Achaladair
 Is thairis mu'n chonn-lon :
 Air lurgain na-laoidhre
 Bu ghreadhnach a' chóifri,
 Mu lárach-na-séinne
 'S a' chraig theilich 'na dheigh sin,
 Far an cruinnich na h eildean
 Bu neo-speiseal mu'n fhóthlach :
 'S gu'm b'é 'n aithir is an aoibhneas
 Bhi faicheachd air réidhleir
 A' comh-mhacnus ri chéile
 'S a' leumnaich feadh móintich ;
 Ann am pollachaibh daimfeir
 Le fodradh gu meamnadh,
 Gu togarrach mearrachdafach,
 Ain-fheafach górach.

'S cha bhiodh íot air an teangaidh
Tao' fhios a' mhill-teanail,
Le fíon-uillt na h Annaid,
Blas meala r'a ól air :
Sruth bríoghmhar geal tana
'S é síothlagh roimh 'n ghaineamh ;
'S é 's milfe na 'n caineal,
Cha b' ain-eolach oirn' é.
Súd an íoc-fhlainte mhairtheann,
A thig a íochdar an talamh,
Gheibhte lionmhoireachd mhaith dhith
Gun a cheannach' le ftoras ;
Air fáruin na beinne
Is dáicheala fealladh,
A dh'fhás ann fa' cheithreamh
A' bheil mi 'n Rinn-Eorpa ;
Le glainid á h uifge,
Gu mac-bhlafda brisg-gheal,
Caoin, caomhail, glan, meafail,
Neo-mhisgeach re póit' air :
Le fuaranaibh grinne
Am bun gruamach na biolair',
Cóineach uaine mu'n iomall,
Is iomadach feórfa.
Bu ghlan uachdar na linne
Gu neo-bhuaireafach milis,
Tighn 'na chuartaig o'n ghrinneal
Air flinnein Beinn'-dórain.
Tha leith-tao' na leachdainn
Le mais' air a cómhach,

'S am fri'-choirean creagach
 'Na sheafamh g'a chóir fin.
 Gu stobanach stacanach,
 Slocanach laganach,
 Cnocanach crapanach,
 Caiteanach rómach ;
 Pasgainneach badanach,
 Bachlagach bóidheach :
 A h aiseirine' corrach
 'Nam fafraichibh mollach,
 'Si b'afadh dhamh mholladh,
 Bha fonas gu leoir orra :
 Cláigeanach gucagach,
 Uchdanach cómhnard,
 Le díthean glan ruiteach
 Breac míleánach sultmhor :
 Tha 'n fhri air a-buigadh
 San trufgan bu chóir dh'i.

U R L A R.

VII.

'S am mona' farfaing faoin
 Glacach, frónagach ;
 Lag a' choire fhraoich
 Cuid bu bhóidhche dheth.
 Sin am fearan caoin
 Air an d'fhás an aoidh,
 Far am bi na laoigh
 'S na d'aimh chrócach ;

Is é deifearach re gréin,
 Seaigoireachd g'a reir,
 'S neo-bheag air an eildeig
 Bhi chómhnuidh ann.
 'S glan fallain a cré,
 Is banail i 'na beus ;
 Cha raibh h anail breun,
 Ge b'é phógadh i.
 'S é 'n coire chofainn gaol
 A h uil' óganaich,
 A chunna' riamh a thaobh,
 'S a ghabh éolas air :
 'S lionmhor feadan caol
 Air an eirich gaoth,
 Far am bi na laoich
 Cumail cómhdhalach,
 Bruthaichean nan learg
 Far am biodh greidh dhearg,
 Ceann-uithe gach fealg
 Fad am beo-shlaint' ;
 Is é lán do'n h uile maoin,
 A thig amach le braon ;
 Fáile nan fúgh craobh,
 Is nan rófan ann.
 Gheibhte tachdar éisg,
 Air a córsa,
 Is bhi 'gan ruidh le leus
 Ann sna mór-shruithean ;
 Mordha cumhann geur,
 Le chrann giuthais f hein,

Aig fír shubhach threubhach
 'Nan dórnaibh :
 Bu fholaíoch a' leum
 Bric air buinne réidh,
 A' ceapadh chuileag ea-trom
 'Nan dorlaichean.
 Cha 'n'eil muir na tír
 A' bheil tuille' brígh
 'S tha feadh do chrích
 Air a h órduchadh.

AN CRUNLUAITH.

VIII.

Tha 'n eilid anns a ghleannan fo,
 Cha 'n amadan gun eolas
 A leanadh i mar b' aithne dha
 Tigh'n farafda na codhail,
 Gu faiteach bhi 'na h earalas,
 Tigh'n am faigse dhi mun caruich i,
 Gu faicilleach, gle earraigeach,
 Mu'm fairich i ga cóir é ;
 Feadh fhlochd, is ghlac, is chamhanan,
 Is chlach a dheanadh folach air,
 Bhi beachdail air an talamh,
 'S air a' char a thig na neoil air ;
 'S an t afdar bhi 'ga tharruing air
 Cho-macanta 's a b' aithne dha,
 Gu'n glacadh é ga h aindeoin i
 Le h anabharra féoltachd ;

Le túr, gun ghainne baralach,
 An t fúil a chuir gu danara,
 A' stiúbhra' na du'-bannaiche,
 'S a h aire ri fear-cróice ;
 Bhiodh rúdan air an tarruing
 Leis an lúbt' an t iarun-earra,
 Bheireadh ionnfuidh nach biodh mearachdach
 Do'n fhear a bhiodh 'ga feóladh ;
 Spor úr an déis a teannachadh,
 Buill' uird a' fgailceadh daingean ris,
 Cha diúlt an t frad, 'nuair bheanas i
 Do'n deannaig a bha neónach :
 'Sé 'm fúdar tioram tean-abaich
 Air chúl an afgairt ghreannaich,
 Chuireadh smúid ri acfuin mheallanaich
 A baraille Nic-Cóiseam.
 B'ionmbhuinn le fir cheanalta,
 Nach b'aithnealach mu spórfda,
 Bhí timchioll air na bealaichibh
 Le fearalachd na h óige :
 Far am bí na féidh gu farumach,
 'S na fir 'nan deigh gu caithrifeach,
 Le gunna bu mhaith barrandas
 Thoirt aingil 'nuair bu chóir dhi ;
 'S le cuilean foirmeal togarrach,
 'G am biodh a stiuir air bhogadan,
 'S é miol'airteich gu fodanach
 'S nach ob é dol 'n an cómhdhail ;

'Na fhurbuidh láidir cosgarrach,
 Ra inntinneach, neo-fhoifeannach,
 Gu guineach, fgiamhach, gob-eafgaidh
 San obair bh' aig a sheórfa ;
 'S a fhrioghan cuilg a' tog'ail air,
 Gu maildheach, gruamach, doi-chiallach,
 'S a gheanachan cnuafaichd fosgailt',
 'Comh-bhogartaich r'an fgórnán.
 Gu'm b' araideach a' charachd ud,
 'S bu chabhagach i 'n cómhnuidh,
 'Nuair a fhíneadh iad na h iongannan
 Le h athghaoraid na móintich ;
 Na beanntaichean 's na bealaichean
 Gu'm freagradh iad mac-thalla dhuit,
 Le fuaim na gairme gallanaich
 Aig farum a' choin rómaich :
 'Gan tearnadh as na mullaichibh
 Gu linnichean nach grunnaich iad,
 'S ann a bhitheas iad feadh na tuinne
 Ann fan luineinich 's iad leointe,
 'S na cuileinean gu fulaigach
 'G an cumail air na muneilibh,
 'S nach urrainn iad dol tuilleadh as,
 Ach fureach, 's bhi gun deó annt'.
 'S ge do thubh'rt mi beagan riu,
 Mu'n innfinn uile an dleasd'nas orra,
 Chuireadh iad a' m' bhreislich mi
 Le deisimearachd chómhraidh.

ORAN XIX.

Oran do Cheile Nuadh-phoisde.

I.

A Mháraí bhán og, 's tu 'n-óigh th'air m'aire
Ri'm bheo bhí far am bithian fhein;
O'n fhuair mi ort cóir cho-mór 's bu mha' leam,
Le pófadh ceangailt' o'n chléir,
Le cúmhanta teann, 's le banntaibh daingean,
'S le fnaim a dh'fhanas, nach tréig :
'S é t fhaotain air láimh le grádh gach caraid
Rinn sláinte mhairtheann a'm' chré.

II.

'Nuair bha mi gu tinn 's mi 'n cinnseal leannain,
Gun chinnt co theannadh rium fhein,
'S ann a chunna' mi 'n óigh air bord tigh-leanna,
'S bu mhóthar ceanalt' a beus :
Tharruing mi suas ria, 's fhuair mi gealladh
O'n ghruagaich bhanail bhí 'm reir :
'S mise bha aobhach t fhaotain marrum,
'S crobh-laigh a' bharain a'd' dheigh.

III.

Maduin Di-luain, ge buan an t flighe,
 'Nuair ghluais mi ruidhinn mar ghaoth,
 A dh' fhaicinn mo luaidh 's rud uainn' nar dithift
 Nach dual da rithift gu'n sgaoil;
 Thug mi i 'n uaigneas uair a bhruithinn,
 'S ann fhuair an nion mo ghaol,
 Is chluinneadh mo chluas an fhuaim a bhitheadh
 Aig luathas mo chroidhe ri 'm thaobh.

IV.

Sin 'nuair chuir Cupid an t uldach a'm' bhroilleach,
 G'a shaighdean corranach caol, [choluinn,
 A dhrúith air mo chuiflean, a chuir luchd air mo
 Leis an do thuit mi ge b'oil leam 's gu'n d'aom,
 Dh'innis mi fgeul do'n té rinn m' acain,
 Nach leigh a chaisgeadh mo ghaoid;
 'Sé leighis gach creuchd, i fhein le feartan
 Theachd réidh a'm' ghlacaibh mar shaoil.

V.

Bheir'inn mo phóg do'n óg-mhnaoi fhomult',
 A dh' fhás gu boinneanta, caoin,
 Gu mí'leant, cómhuard, féocail, foinneamh;
 Do chómhradh gheibh mi gu faor.
 Tha mi air sheól gu leoir a'd' chomain,
 A mhóid 'fa chuir thu gu faoin
 Do m' fmaointean górach, próis nam boireannach,
 'S cóir dhamh fuireach le h aon.

VI.

Chuaidh mi do'n choill' ann raibh croinn as
 Bu bhoifgeil fealladh mu'n cuairt, [gallain,
 'S bha miann mo fhúl do dh'fhiúran barruicht'
 Ann dlú's nam meangana fuas,
 Geug fu' bhlá' o bár gu talamh,
 A lúb mi farrafda nuas :
 Bu duilich do chách gu bráth a gearradh,
 'S é 'n dán damh 'm faillean a bhuain.

VII.

Shuidhich mi líon air fíor-uifg tana,
 'S mi ftri' 'ga tharruing air bruaich,
 'S thug mi le fgríob air tír a ghealag,
 'S a líth mar eal' air a' chuan ;
 'S toilicht' a dh'fhag é 'n lá fin m' aigne,
 An roinn a bh'agam fan uair ;
 B'i coi'meas mo cheud mhna' reult na maidne,
 Mo chéile codail 's mi 'm fhuain.

VIII.

'Sé b'fhafan leat riamh bhi ciallach banail
 Ri gníomh, 's ri ceanal mna-uail' ;
 Gu páirteach, báigheal, blá', gun choire,
 Gun ghíamh, gun ghoinne, gun chruas,
 Gu déireeach, daonntach, faoilidh, farrafd',
 Ri daoine fanna, boc', truagh ;
 Is tha mi le'd' sheól, ann dóchas ro-mha',
 Gur lón a d' anam do dhuais,

IX.

Chuir mi air thús ort iúl as aithne,
 Le fúgra' ceanalta, fuairc,
 'Nuair theannain riut dlú', bu chúraidh' d' anail
 Na úbhlan meala 'gam buain :
 Cha bhiodh sgeul rúin air grunn d mo stamaic,
 A b' fhiu, nach mealladh i uam ;
 Nan cuireadh i cúl rium 's diulta' baileach,
 Bu chúis damh anart as uaigh.

X.

Do bhriodal bla fdo mharan milis,
 Do nadur grinneas gach uair,
 Gu bialchair gaireach aluinn coineil,
 Gun chás a thoille dhuit fuath,
 Chuir i guin bhais fad rái 'm bhuineal
 Dh'fhag lan mi mhulad fa ghruaim
 Nuair thuig i mar bha fa thár mi nulaidh
 Ghrad spar i 'n cunnart ud uam.

XI.

'S ann thog e mi 'm prís o'n tíom fo 'n uraidh,
 An ní 'fan urrain a fhuair,
 'Sguab do'n íre fhíor-ghloin chruineachd,
 An fiol a's urramach buaidh.
 Sin na chuir mi co-riomhach umad ;
 Bha d' inntin bunailteach buan :
 Líonadh do fgiamhachd miann gach duine,
 An dreach, fiamh, an cumachd, 's an sruagh.

XII.

Do chuach-fhalt bán air fás cho-barrail,
 'Sa bhár lán chamag as dhual ;
 T aghaidh ghlan, mhálta, nárach, bhanail,
 Do dhá chaol mhalaidh gun ghruaim ;
 Súil ghorm, líonntach, mhín-rosg, mheallach,
 Gun díth cur fa' ann a'd' ghruaidh,
 Deud geal íobhraidh díonach, daingean,
 Beul bídh nach canadh ach stuaim.

XIII.

Shiúbhladh tu fáfach áiridh glinne
 'San áit' an cinneadh an sprésidh,
 G' am bleothan mu chró, 's bhi chóir na h innis,
 Laoigh óg a' mireadh 's à' leum ;
 Cha mhiofa do lámh 's tu láimh re coinnil
 Na 'n seómar foilleir ri gréin,
 A' fuaidheal 's a' faithmeadh bhann as phionar,
 An ám chur grinnis air greus.

XIV.

Do chneas mar an éiteag glé-ghlan, fallain,
 Corp feamh mar chanach an t fléibh ;
 Do bhráigh co-mhín, 's do chíochan corrach
 S iad líontach, foluist le chéil' :
 Gaoirdeine tlá' geal lámh na h ainnir,
 Caol mheoir, glac thana, bas réidh ;
 Calpa deas úr, troigh dhlú' 'm bróig chuimir
 Is lúthar innealta ceum.

XV.

'S ann fhuair mi bhean chaoin aig taobh Mhám-
 charraidh,
 'Sa gaol a'm' mhealladh o'm chéill'; [tharruing;
 Bha do chroidhe dhamh faor, 'nuair dh'fheud mi
 Cha b'fhaoin damh bhar'ail bhi d' reir :
 'S ioma' fuil uafal, uai'reach, fharumach,
 Suas ri d' cheann-aghaidh fhein,
 Gad' chumail am prís an Rìgh 's MacCailein,
 'S tu fhiol nam fear a bha 'n Sléit'.

XVI.

'Nam faighinn an dráft do cháramh dainneann
 Ann áite faluich o'n eug;
 Ge d' thigeadh é d' dháil, as m' fhágail falamb
 Cha b' áill leam bean eil' a'd' dheigh :
 Cha toir mi gu bráth dhuit dranndan teallaich,
 Mú'n árdaich aileag do chléibh,
 Ach rogha' gach márrain, grádh as furrán,
 Cho-blá' 'fa b'urrainn mo bheul.

XVII.

Dheanuin duit ceann, as crann, as dearrach,
 An ám chur ghearran an éill,
 Is dheanainn mar chách air tráigh na mara,
 Chur áird air mealladh an éisg :
 Mharbhainn duit geoidh, as róin, as eala,
 'S na h eoin air bharran nan geug,
 'S cha bhi thu ri d' bheo gun féol air aran,
 'S mi chomhuaidh far am bi féidh.

ORAN XX.

Oran do leanabh-altrom.

I.

I SEABAL óg an ór-fhuilt bhuidh,
Do ghruai' mar rós, 's do phóg mar ubhall,
Do bheul dreachmhor meachair grinn,
O'm fuighte na h órain cheólmhor bhinn.

II.

'S tu 's gloine 's is cannaiche bhanaile fnuadh,
Gur deirge na'n t futhag an ruthadh tha d'ghruaidh,
Do mhín rosg líontach, síobhailt, suaire,
Gnáis mhálta nárach, lán do stuaim.

III.

'S é cofail na h ainnir an eal' air an t snámh,
Do chneas mar an canach co-cheanalta thlá',
Do chíochan corrach air bhroileach geal bán,
Do bhráigh mar ghrian, 's do bhian mar chnáimh.

IV.

Do chuach-fhàlt bachallach, cas-bhuidh, dlú',
 Gu h amlagach, daithte, lán chaisreag is lúb,
 'Na chiabhannaibh cleachdach am pleata' gu dlú',
 Air fniamh gu léir mar theuda-ciùil.

V.

'S ioma' fuil uafal gun truaille', gun táir,
 Tha togail 'na stuaidheannaibh fuas ann ad bhárr,
 Clann Dómhnail a' chruadail fhuair buaigh ann
 s gach blár;
 Gus an d' thain' an latha suarach thugadh uath'
 an deas lámh.

VI.

S' ban-Chaimbeulach dhíreach an ríbhinn dheas
 óg, [tha beo;
 Cha stríochdadh do dhílsean a luchd míoruin
 'S gach car tha dol diotfa ga d' fhior-chur am móid
 'S thu theaghlach an Iarla fhliochd Dhiarmaid
 nan frol.

VII.

Tha Cinneadh do shean-mhath'r mor ainmeil
 gu leoir,
 Na Camronaich mheamnach bu gharg air an toir;
 'S iomadh áit' ann s'na dhearbh iad le fearghleus
 an dórn, [Dheórs'.
 Bhi marbhtach le'n armachd air dearganaich

VIII.

'Si 'n ainnir bu taitnich' a bh' ac' ann a stír,
 A thachair bhi agam 'ga h-altrom le cích;
 'Nuair a sheafas i fathast air faidhir an righ,
 Bí'dh ioma' fear-fearainn a' faraid, Co i?

IX.

Gruagach gheal, shomulta, shoilleir gu leoir;
 'S i finealta foinneamh, gun chroma', gun sgeôp;
 Calpa deas cofail, a choisicheadh ród,
 Troigh chuimir, shocair, nach dóchuinn a' bhróg.

X.

'S maith thig dhuit san fhasan gún daithte do'n
 t fról,
 Le staidh's 'ga theannadh cho-daingean's bu chóir,
 Fáinneacha daoimein air roinn gach meoir,
 Bí'dh rufles is ruibein air Iseabail óig.

ORAN XXI.

Oran gaoil.

I.

'A Mháraí bhán gur barrail thu,
'S gur barraicht' air gach feòl thu,
O'n thug mi gaol cho-daingean duit,
'S mi t fharraid ann s gach còmh'ail :
'S earbfach mi a d' cheanaltas,
'S na fhuair mi cheana d' chómhradh,
Nach urrainn cách do mhealladh uam
'N déis do gheallaidh dhamh-fa.

II.

'S chuala mi mar shean-fhocal
Mu'n darach, gur fiodh-còrr é,
'S gur geinn dheth fhein 'ga theannachadh
A spealtadh é 'na òirdnibh :
'S mi 'n dúil, a reir na h ealaidh fin,
Gur maith leat mi bhi d' sheórfa,
Nach tréig thu mi, 's gu 'm faigh mi thu
Le bannaibh daingean pòsaidh.

III.

'S é chum an raoir mi m' aithreachadh
 An spéis a ghabh mi òg dhìot ;
 Bha smaointean tric air m' aithre-se
 Mu'n ainnir a's fhearr fòghlum :
 Cha 'n 'eil cron r'a àireamh ort,
 O' d' bhàrr gu fáil do bhróige,
 Ach ciallach, fialaidh, fábhórach,
 Air fiamh do gháire 'n còmhnuidh.

IV.

'S do chúl daite lán mhaifeach
 M' an cuairt a d' bhráigh 'n órdugh,
 Air fuiamh, mar theuda clárfaiche,
 'Na fháinneachaibh glan nófar :
 Gu líth-dhonn, pleatach, fár-chleachdach,
 Gu dofach, fásmar, dómhail,
 Gu lúbach, dualach, bachlach, guairfgeach,
 Snasmhor, cuachach, ór-bhuidh.

V.

Tha t aghaidh nárach bhànail,
 Dá chaol mhaluidh mar ight eoin ort ;
 Rosga réidhe fallaine,
 'S dá shúil ghorm mheallach mhóthar :
 Do ghruaidh mar chaoran meangain,
 A thug barrachd áir na rófan ;
 Do dheud geal dreachmhor meachair grinn,
 'S do bheul, o'm binn thig óran.

VI.

Tha do phóg mar úbhlán gárraidh,
 'S tha do bhráigh mar an neoinein;
 Do chíochan líontach mulanach,
 'S an sí 'g an cumail cómhnaidh:
 Corp feamh, geal, gneadhail, furanach,
 Deadh-chumachdail, neo-spórfail;
 Do chalpa cruinne, lúthora,
 'S an troigh nach lúb am feirnein.

VII.

'S é 'm fáth mu'm biodh tu talach orm,
 Gur ra-bheag leat mo ftóras:
 'Bha dá-rud-dheug a' tarruing uam
 Na thionail mí do phórfan.
 Bhiodh-ól, is féifid, is banais ann;
 Bha ceól, is beus, is ceànnaichean,
 'N fhéill, 's na gibhte leannanachd,
 An amaideachd 's an óige.

VIII.

'S a nis' nam faighinn marram thu,
 Cha leanainn air an t feól sin;
 Dheanainn áiteach fearainn,
 Is crobh bainne chur mu chró dhuit:
 Mharainn iafg na mara dhuit,
 'S am fiadh fa' bhealach cheòthar
 Le gunna caol nach mearachdaich,
 'S a mhealladh fear na cróice.

IX.

'S mór an gaol a ghabh mi ort
 Le ra-bheagan a d' eólas,
 'S mi 'n dúil gur tu bu leannan damh,
 'S nach mealladh tu mi m' dhóchas :
 Ge d' bhiodh am bás an caraibh dhamh,
 Gun bhar'ail ri tigh'n beo uaith,
 'S é dh'fhágadh flán mi 'n righbhinn mhálta,
 Márai bhán o Lóch-lairig.

ORAN XXII.

Oran sugraidh.

'S **SI** nion mo ghaeil
 An nion donn óg ;
 Nam biodh tu re m' thaobh,
 Cha bhithinn fo bhrón.
 'Si nion mo ghaeil
 An nion donn óg.
 'Si Márai Nic-Neachduín
 Is dáicheile pearfa,
 Ghabh mis' uiread bheachd ort
 Ri'neach a tha beo.
 'Si nion, &c.

'Nuair sheallas mi t aodann,
 'S mi 'n coinneamh ri t fhaotainn,
 Gur maith leam nam feudainn
 Bhi daonann a'd' chóir.

'Si nion, &c.

O'n a thug thu dhamh gealladh,
 'S ann duitse nach aithreach,
 'S cha 'n fhaic iad thu 'n ath-bhliadhnn,
 A'd' bhan-araich bhó.

'Si nion, &c.

Cha d' theid thu do'n bhuailidh,
 A bhleothan cruibh ghuaill-fhionn;
 Cha chuir thu ort cuaran,
 'S gur uallach do bhróg.

'Si nion, &c.

Cha 'n fhoghnadh le m' chruinneig,
 A' bhuarach no chuinneag,
 'S cha chluinnear gu'n cumadh tu
 Cuman a'd' dhorn.

'Si nion.

Cha d' theid thu Bhad-odhair
 A leigeadh nan gabhar,
 'S minn bheag as an deothaidh
 'G an deothal mu'n chró.

'Si nion, &c.

Cha leig mi thu 'n fhireach
 Thoirt a' chruibh as an innis,
 Air eagal na gillean.

Bhi fireadh do phóg.

'Si nion, &c.

Cha taobh thu duin'-uafal,
 'S cha 'n áill leat am buachaill',
 'S cha 'n fheairde fear-fuadain

Bhi cruaidh air do thóir.

'Si nion, &c.

Cha taobh i fear idir,
 Air eagal mo thrioblóid ;

'S cha toilich té mise

Ach ise le deoin.

'Si nion, &c.

Si ri'bhinn a bhaile,
 Tha síor-thigh'n air m' aire ;
 Nam bithidh i-marrum,

Cha d' fharraid mi stór.

'Si nion, &c.

Bheir mis' thu Dhún-eudainn.

A dh'iunnfacha' beurla,

'S cha 'n fhág mi-thu t éiginn,

Ri spréidh an fhír mhóir.

'Si nion, &c.

A 'nion na gruaige,
 Cha chreidinn ort tuailios ;
 O'n a tharruing mi fuas riut,
 Cha 'n fhuath leam do sheól.
'Si 'nion, &c.

'S é mheaduich mo ghaol ort
 Gu'n d' fhas thu cho-aobhach,
 'S gu'n leumadh tu daonnan
 Cho-eutrom 's na heoin.
'Si nion, &c.

'Si 'n togarrach lao'ach
 A thogainn mar roghuinn,
 Nam bithinn a' taoghal
 San tigh am bi'n t ól.
'Si nion, &c.

Gu'm b' fheairde daoín'-uaisle
 'N ám thionnda' nan cuach thu,
 A thoirt luineagan-luaidh dhoibh
 Mu'n cuairt air an stóp.
'Si nion, &c.

'S leat urram an damhfaidh,
 'S an fhidheall 'na teann-ruidh ;
 Bu chriodhal fan ám thu,
 'S an dram air a' bhórd.
'Si nion, &c.

'S tu fhreagradh gu h innealt?
 Am feadan 's an ribheid,
 A fheinneadh gu fileanta.
 Ruidh-leumnaich ceoil.
'Si nion, &c.

'S tu thogadh mo spiorad,
 'Nuair a theid thu air mhireadh,
 Le d' cheileiribh binne,
 'S le grinneas do bheoil.
'Si nion, &c.

Leis na ghabh mi do cheifd ort.
 Am madainn s am feasgar,
 Dheanainn riut cleafachd.
 Is beadurra gu leoir :
'Si nion, &c.

Dheanainn riut furan
 Am bliadhna is an uraidh,
 Bu dócha na'n t uireasbhuidh,
 Tuill' as a' chóir.
'Si nion, &c.

ORAN XXIII.

*Oran do chaora a fhuaradh a ghibht o mhnaoi uafail
árraid.*

*Hem o, ho iö, ho ro chaora chean-fhionn,
Hem o, ho io.*

'S a' chaora fhuair mi o Shiúfaidh,
Gun an cuinn a dhol g'a ceannach ;
Hem o, &c.

Gu'm bu flán do'n t-sár-mhnaoi uafail,
O'n d'fhuaradh a' chaora chean-fhionn :
Hem o, &c.

Cuimhnichidh mi do dheoch-fláinte
Sa' h uil' áit' ann ól mi drama.
Hem o, &c.

Chaora tháinig a Coir'-uanain
Páirt g'a fuanaich mar an canach :
Hem o, &c.

Bha cuid dhith air dhath na carnaid,
'S cuid eile mar bhár na bealuidh ;
Hem o, &c.

'S ann bu chofail ris an t síde
Caora mhín nan cafa geala.

Hem o, &c.

'S iomadh cuileag hun an íasguich,
Tháinig riamh as a cúl cannach:

Hem o, &c.

Cungaidh mhaith nam breacan daora
Ann s a h uile taobh g'a falluing;

Hem o, &c.

Cuiridh iad i air na cláduibh,
'S áluin i 'nuair theid a tarruing.

Hem o, &c.

'S i bu mholaiche na 'n-líon
'S fhearr tha cinntinn aig na Galluibh.

Hem o, &c.

Bhiodh aice dá uan fa' bhliadhna
'S bha h uile h aon riamh dhiubh fallain;

Hem o, &c.

'S 'nuair a thigeadh míos roimh Bhealltuinn,
B' fheairde mi na bh' aice bhainne;

Hem o, &c.

Chumadh i rium gruth is uachdar,
Air fhuairid 's g'am biodh an t earrach:

Hem o, &c.

Dh' fhoghnadh i dhamh fad an t'famhruidh
Chumail annloin rium is aran.

Hem o, &c.

Cha raibh leithid hun an eadruidh
Am fad is freagrach do Mhac Cailein.

Hem o, &c.

Bhiodh i air thoiseach an t fealmhain
A' tighinn 's a' falbh o'n bhaile.

Hem o, &c.

'S mise fhuair an fgobadh creachuidh
'N la a leag iad i san ranuich :

Hem o, &c.

'S tric tha mi 'g amharc an áit
'N raibh i bláth, 's i call a fola :

Hem o, &c.

'S ann san fhraoch aig taohh Uillt-ghartain,
Rinn i 'n codál as nach d' fhairich :

Hem o, &c.

'S diomach mi do'n ghile-mhártuinn,
Bha-cho'-dána 's dol 'na caruibh.

Hem o, &c.

Feuidh na h eunlain bhi róichdeil
Ag itheadh a feóla 's a faille :

Hem o, &c.

Cha 'n 'eil eun a laidh air fulachd
Nach raibh umad ann an cabhaig.

Hem o, &c.

Am fear ruadh a chuir gu bás i
Thug é páirt dhith hun na garuidh.

Hem o, &c.

'Nuair a ránuig mis' an ár-fhaich',
Cha raibh láthair dhìot ach faileas;

Hem o, &c.

Bha na cnaimhean air an lomadh,
Is bha 'n olann air a pealladh.

Hem o, &c.

O'n a chaill mi 'nois mo chaora,
'S cofail a m' aodach bhi tana:

Hem o, &c.

Cia leis a nítear dhamh cóta,
O nach beo a' chaora chean-fhionn.

Hem o, &c.

H uile bean a th' ann a s dúthaich,
Tha mi 'n dúil ann dúrachd maith dhamh;

Hem o, &c.

'S theid mi dh' iarruidh na faoidh-chlóimhe,
Air mnathan cóire an fhearainn.

Hem o, &c.

Taoghluidh mi air Inner-ghínneachd,
'S innfidh mi na bhios air m' aire ;

Hem o, &c.

Gheibh mi tlám a chlóimh nan caorach,
O'na tha mi dh' aodach falamh :

Hem o, &c.

Gheibh mi rúfg an Tigh-na-fróine
O'n mhnaoi chóir a bha fan Arrar.

Hem o, &c.

An Gleann-ceitilein an fheoir
Gheibh mi na rúifg mhóra, gheala.

Hem o, &c.

Gheibh mi lán na flige-chreachuinn
O nion-Dónuil ghlais an drama ;

Hem o, &c.

Cuiridh mi fúd thar mo rúchan,
'S fheaird' a ghiúlaineas mi 'n eallach.

Hem o, &c.

Ruigidh mi bean Cheann loch éite,
Tha mi 'm éigin, 's cha bu mhaith lea' ;

Hem o, &c.

Gheibh mi uaithe tlám a dh'fhaoidhe,
Tlám eile a thao' bhi 'm cháraid.

Hem o, &c.

Their an té tha 'n Guala-chuilinn,
 'S mór is duilich leam do ghearan;
Hem o, &c.

Bheir i nuas an t-uifge-beatha
 Dh' fheuchainn an crath é dhiom an smallan.
Hem o, &c.

Their gach té tha 'n Druim-a-chóthuis,
 Gheibh thu rud, 's gur maith an airidh:
Hem o, &c.

'Nuair a theid mi dh' Iner-chárnain,
 Cha leig aon té th' ann mi falamh.
Hem o, &c.

'Nuair theid mi 'n bhail' tha láimh ris,
 Gheibh mi tíaman ann 's gach talla.
Hem o, &c.

Cha'n 'eil té tha 'n Daile-'n-eafa
 Nach d' theid mi 'm freasdal a-ceanail.
Hem o, &c.

Thig mi dhathigh leis na gheibh mi,
 'S tomad deth co-mhór ri gearran:
Hem o, &c.

Foghnuidh síd damh cór as bliadhna
 Chumail sniamh ri nian a' bharain;
Hem o, &c.

'S 'nuair a theid é fuidh na spáluibh,
Ni i fábhór rium a bhain-fhítheach.

Hem o, &c.

'S ioma' té ni aodach guamach
Ach cha luaidh i é gun chearthar.

Hem o, &c.

Th' uile gruagach tha 'n Gleann-éite
Dh' fheumainns' iad a thigh'n do'n bhaile;

Hem o, &c.

'S 'nuair a chuireas mi air féol iad,
S ann a theid an cló' a theannadh;

Hem o, &c.

Nuair a theannas iad re fúchdadh,
Cha bhi túchadh air an anail;

Hem o, &c.

Nuair a fhuidheas iad air cléidh,
Gu'n cluinnt' an eughach thár na beànuibh;

Hem o, &c.

Nuair a fheinneas iad na h órain,
Duiridh iad na h eoin an crannuibh;

Hem o, &c.

Nuair a theannas iad ri luinneag,
S binn' iad na guileag na h eala;

Hem o, &c.

'S mór is binne fuaim nan nionag
 Na ceól píob air thús a' phannail;
Hem o, &c.

Bithidh a týrn an láimh gach té dhiubh,
 'S bithidh a beul a' feinn na h ealaidh;
Hem o, &c.

Té ri búrn, as té ri móinidh,
 Té a' cur feól air an ainneal,
Hem o, &c.

Té ga phostadh ann an túbadh
 Té 'ga luidreadh, té 'ga ghlanadh,
Hem o, &c.

Dithis 'ga fhlachdadh gu láidir,
 Dithis 'ga fhálgadh gu gramail,
Hem o, &c.

Ach mu'n cuir iad as an láí' é
 'S cinnteach mi gu'm fás é daingeann;
Hem o, &c.

Theid a thiomachadh air bráighidh
 Gárra cháil air am bi barrann.
Hem o, &c.

Mur d' thig e 'm ionnfuidh an táileir,
 'S nár dha é 's gu'n d' thug finn bean da.
Hem o, &c.

'S ann an fin a theid mo chómhdach'
Leis a' chlóimh a rinn mi thional.

Hem o, &c.

Gur mise tha gu duthach
Ri cumha do 'n chaora chean-fhionn,

Hem o, &c.

'S beag an t' ionghnadh dhamh bhi duilich
Mulad a bhi orm as faran ;

Hem o, &c.

'Nuair a fhuidheas mí air tulaich,
'S turaman a bhios air m' aire,

Hem o, &c.

A' cuimhneacha' cofail na caorach
Nach raibh h eug'as ann san fhearann ;

Hem o, &c.

Bha i riathach, 's bha i lachdunn,
Bha i cais-fhionn, 's bha i cean-fhionn ;

Hem o, &c.

Bha i croidh-fhionn, 's bha i bótach ;
Bha geal mór air bár a-breàmain.

Hem o, &c.

Nuair theid mi fhealltuinn nan caorach,
Undraichidh mi chaora chean-fhionn ;

Hem o, &c.

S' misde mi gu'n d'rinn i m' fhágail,
 'S b'fheairde mi i 'm fad 's a dh'fhan i;

Hem o, &c.

Cha do leig i riamh an fháiling?
 Ann am árdach, fhad 's a mhair i;

Hem o, &c.

'Nuair a rachuin chum na h áiridh,
 Chuireadh i na tráighean tharum,

Hem o, &c.

'S ro-mhaith thogadh i na páisdean,
 Bhiodh iad fáthach 'nuair bu mhaith lean.

Hem o, &c.

'S mise bha air bheagan faoithreach,
 'M fad 's a bha mo chaora mairtheann:

Hem o, &c.

O'na tháinig ceann a faoghail,
 'S eigin damh bhi daor fa' cheannachd.

Hem o, &c.

Gu'm bu flán do'n cháta' chaorach
 As an d' thain' a' chaora cheann-fhionn;

Hem o, &c.

'S an té o'n d'fhuair mi i 'n toiseach,
 'S ro-mhaith chofainn i mo bheannachd.

Hem o, &c.

Beannachd leis an rud a dh'fhalbhas ;
 Cha 'ne 's fhearr dhuinn ach na dh'fhanas ;
Hem o, &c.

'S fhearr bhi criodhail leis na dh'fhuirgheas,
 Na bhi tuirfeach mu na chailleas.
Hem o, &c.

ORAN XXIV.

Oran luaidh.

Ho ro gu'n togainn air hùgan fhathasd,
 Ho ro io mu'n d' theid mi laidhe ;
 Ho ro gu'n togainn air hùgan fhathasd.

Togamaid fonn air luadh' a' chlóthlain ;
 Ga'aidh finn ceól, is órain mhatha.
Hem o, &c.

B' fheaird' an clóth bhi chóir nan gruagach,
 A dhéanadh an luadha' le 'n lamhan ;
Ho ro, &c.

'Nuair a thionndas iad air cléidh é
Chluinnte fuaim gach té dhiubh labhairt.

Ho ro, &c.

Orain ghrinne, bliinne, mhíle,
Aig na ríobhainnean 'g an ga'ail ;

Ho ro, &c.

Luinneag ac' air luadh' an aodaich,
Sunndach, faothrachail ri maitheas.

Ho ro, &c.

Thogamaid fonn gu ceól'ar, aó-trom,
Air a' chlóth bu daoire dathan.

Ho ro, &c.

An cloth brionnach, ballach, ciatfhach,
Triuchanach, ftiallagach, gathach ;

Ho ro, &c.

An clóth taitneach, bassach, boifgeil,
Laisde, daoimeineach, 's é leathan

Ho ro, &c.

Gu'm bu flán a bhios na caoraich
Air an d' fhás an t aodach flathail.

Ho ro, &c.

Beannachd aig an láí' a fhníomh é ;
'Si rinn gníomh na deagh bhean-tighe ;

Ho ro, &c.

'S ann is cofail ris an t síd é
Dh' fhág i mín é, 's rinn i maith é;

Ho ro, &c.

Snáth co-rithinn ris na teudan,
S' é co'-réidh 's a dh' fheudta fhnaithheadh:

Ho ro, &c.

Cha raibh pluc, no meall, no gaog ann,
No gíog chaol, no fliafuid reamhar.

Ho ro, &c.

'Nuair a theid an clóth a'n mhargadh,
'S é ni 'n t airgíod air an rathad.

Ho ro, &c.

Cha bhi flat a síos a chrún deth,
Miann gach fúil é ann san fhaidhir.

Ho ro, &c.

Cha bhi fuirighich' ann san dúthaich
Nach bidh 'n dúil ri páirt deth fhaighinn.

Ho ro, &c.

'S ann a tha 'n toil inntin aodaich
Aig na daoine' a bhios 'ga chaithe'.

Ho ro, &c.

Thogainn am fonn a dh'iarradh póitear,
Is luaidhinn an clóth bu mhiann le mnathan.

Ho ro, &c.

'S olc an obair luadh' no fúcadh,
Ma bhios túchadh oirn' le padhadh.

Ho ro, &c.

Chuireadh é funnd air muintir óga,
Suidheadh mu bhórd ag ól gu latha.

Ho ro, &c.

Puinfe le gloineacha' lána,
Deochanna'-fláinte 'gan ga'aíl;

Ho ro, &c.

Greis air fíon, is greis air branndi,
Greis air dram do'n uifge-bheatha,

Ho ro, &c.

Greis air fídhleireachd 's air dannfa,
Greis air cantaireachd 's air aidhear;

Ho ro, &c.

'Nuair theid fáirn an áird an aodainn,
'S ro-mhaith 'n t ám do dhaoibh laidhe'.

Ho ro, &c.

ORAN XXV.

Oran do Ghunna ga nainm Nioc-Coifeam.

HORO mo chuid chuideachd thu,
Gur muladach leam uam thu,
Horo mo chuid chuideachd thu,
Smi direadh bheann is uchdanan,
Bait leam thu bhi cuidir rium,
Sdo chuidrim air mo ghualinn.

Nuair chuaidh mi do Gleannlocha,
Sa cheannuich mi Nioc-Coifeam,
Smise nach ro gorach,
Nuair chuir mi 'ntor ga fuasgladh.

Horo, &c.

Thug mi choire cheathaich thu,
Nuair bha mi fhein a thaich ann,
Stric a chuir mi laidhe leat,
Na daimh sna haidhean ruadha.

Horo, &c.

Thug mi Bheinn a chaitil thu,
 Sdon fhafach atha 'ntaice ria,
 Am am is Creug an Aparrain,
 Air leaca Beinn nam fuaran.

Horo, &c.

Thug mi thu Bheinn-dourain,
 'Ncinne na Daimh chrocach,
 Nuair theanna iad ri cronan
 Bu bhoidheach leam an Nuallan.

Horo, &c.

Thug mi choire chruiteir thu,
 Os aite grianach tluseil e,
 Gu biachar fearach luiseanach
 Bhiodh spurt ann aig daoin uaille.

Horo, &c.

Ghiulain mi Ghleann-eite thu,
 Thog mi ris na creisean thu,
 Se mhead fa thug mi speus duit
 A dhfhag mo cheum cho luaineach.

Horo, &c.

Smath am Meall a Bhuiridh thu,
 Cho mhiosa 'm Beinn a chrulaist thu,
 Stric a loifg mi fudar leat,
 An coire chul na cruaiche.

Horo, &c.

Thug mi Lairig Gharstain thu,
 Os aluinn an coir altrum i,
 Sna feidh a deanamh leabaichean
 Air Creachuinn Ghlas a bhuachaill.

Horo, &c.

Thug mi thu don fhas ghlaic,
 Sa Gleann am bi na lan daimh,
 Stric a chuaidh an árach
 Mu bhraidhe cloich an tuairneir.

Horo, &c.

Chuidh mi do Dhfheadhà chaorinn,
 Le aighear Choire-chaolain,
 Far an rabh na daoine',
 Abha 'n gaol air a ghraoidh ualluich.

Horo, &c.

Thug mi Bheinn a chaorach thu,
 Shireadh Bhoc is Mhaoifeach,
 Cho beagal gun a faotinn
 Siad daonnan fan tor uaine.

Horo, &c.

Nuair theid mi ris a mhona
 Stu mo raoghainn do na Gunnachan
 On fhuair thu féin an turram sin,
 Co nois a chumas uait e.

Horo, &c.

Gad tha mi gann a storas,
 Gu fuidhe leis na Poitearan,
 'Gad theid mi do'n tigh Ofda,
 Cha nol mi ann a'n cuaich thu.
Horo, &c.

ORAN XXVI.

Oran Duthcha.

Horinno h6 iririo Horinno h6 iririo
Horinn o hiri uo si mo dhuthaich a dhfhag mi.

GA'D a tha finn'car tamuill,
 A tamh aig na Gallaibh,
 Tha mo Dhuthaich air maire,
 'S cho mhail leam a haithcheadh.
Horinno, &c.

Ga'd is eiginn dhuinn ga'il,
 Leis gach ni thig san rathad,
 Gum bfhearr na na frathan,
 Bhi tathaich fa bhraidhe.
Horinno, &c.

Ga'd is comhnard na Sraidean,
Smor a bhfearr bhi air airidh,
Am fri nam Beann arda,
Snam fasaichean blatha.

Horinno, &c.

Beurla chruaidh gach aon latha,
Nar cluais o cheann ghrabhuinn,
Se bu dual duinn ór Nathair,
Bhi labhairt na Gaelic.

Horinno, &c.

Ga'd is cliuteach a Mhachthir,
Le cunra 's le fassan
Eé air duthrachd dol Dathigh
'Sbhi 'n taice ra'r cairdean.

Horinno, &c.

Bhi 'n Clachan an Difeirt,
A faicinn air Dillfean
Gum bairt leinn an tir fin,
O na fi rinn air nathrach.

Horinno, &c.

Cha be fassan nan daoine ud
Bhi 'nconas na 'n caonnaig,
Ach fonas an tfaoghail,
'Sbhi gaolach mar bhraithrean.

Horinno, &c.

Nam fuidhe 'stigh ofda,
 Gu luinneagach ceolar,
 Bu bhinn air cuid oran,
 'Sbhi gol na'n deoch slainte.

Horinno, &c.

Luchd dhireadh nan stuicean,
 Le'n Gunnachan dughorm,
 A loisge am fudar,
 Ri udlaiche lan Daimh.

Horinno, &c.

Se bu mhiann leis na Macaibh,
 Bhi triall leis na slattan,
 A chuir frian ris a Bhraddan
 Cha be fhassan am fagail.

Horinno, &c.

Gu fiaghach a mhonaidh,
 Na dh' iasgach air buinne,
 Ann sgach gnìomh a ni duine
 Smor urram na 'n Gaidheil.

Horinno, &c.

ORAN XXVII.

Oran Alistair.

*Alistair nan stop ann an fraid a chuil,
Sin an duine coir air am bheil mo run.*

SCOMA leat an file, bannsa leat an stóp,
Cha'n e sin bu dochadh ach-am botal mor.
Alistair, &c.

Theid thu don tigh ofda 's oluidh tu gu fial
Cho rabh gainne stonais air do phoca riamh.
Alistair, &c.

Bha thu greis ad aimfir ann an arm an Ri,
Cumaidh sin riut airgiod s fhearra dhuit e na ni,
Alistair, &c.

Gheibhe tu le'd cheanal leannan ann sgach tír
Gad a bhiodh tu falamh cho bhiodh bean ad dhi.
Alistair, &c.

Tha thu maith air fairgé, stric thu marbha eifg
Cas a fhiubhal garalich, theid thu shealg an fheidh.
Alistair, &c.

Gad thu'irt Callum breac nach rabh thu tappi riamh
Co a chreidde sin ach duine bha gun chiall.

Alistair, &c.

Nuair a theid mi Ghlascha staitneach leam bhi gól,
Ann an tigh mo charraid Alistair nan stóp.

Alistair, &c.

ORAN XXVIII.

Oran do'n tseann Fbreacadan Ghaileach.

I.

DEOCH Slainte an *Fbreacadain*, 's aill leinn gun
cheist i,

'Si an fhailte nach beag oirnn dhol deasal ar cleibh,
Cha'n fhag sinn am feast i, ón tha sinn co dleasdánach,
Do na h armain bu Sheirc' eile Sheafamh an Sreud,
Na curai' ean calma, gam buineadh bhi 'n Albainn,
Feadh mhoninnean garbhlaich a' fealg air na Feidh,
Fhuair mis' orra seanachas, nach mios' an cois Fairg'
iad,

Bhithidh an citcheanan tarbhach le marbha' an eifg.

II.

Buaidh gu brath air na Fleasgaich, fhuair an árach
am Breattann,

Chuaidh air Sail o cheann ghreis uainn, dhol am freasdal
re feam,

An loingeas laidir thug leis iad, nach Saruiche beagan
Muir a' gárrach gan greafa 'si freagradh dhoibh fein,
Chuir gach lamh mar bu deise, buill do'n charcaich
bu treife,

Ri barr nan crann Seafmhach re leath-taobh gach breid,
'Si 'gintheachd air chuantain, 'n uair a dheirich gaith
tuath le

B'ainmeil air luathas i, 'fi gluafad gu reidh.

III.

'N uair a chuir iad na h áрмаinn air tir ann an
Flagb'ras,

'Siad fada o'm pairti, 'fo'n áiteachan fein,

Bha onoir nan gaidheil an earbfa r'an tabhachd,

Bha sin mar a b'abhaist gun fhaillinn fui' 'n-ghrein,

Tha urram an draft aig' gach tir ann san d'fhas iad,

Le feabhas an abhaist an naduir sam beus,

Bhi dilis d'an cairdean, cur fios air an nainhde,

'S iomadh rioghachd an d'fhag iad, fuil bhla' air an
fheur

IV.

'Se la *Fontenoi* thug onoir gu leoir dhoibh,

'N uair a chruinnich iad co' la Sa thoifich an Streap,

Bu tart'rach ar Cornail, cur ghaifgeach an ordu ;

Na lascairean oga, chuaidh deonach na dheigh,

Na gleachdairean co'ruig is fearr th'aig' Rìgh *Deorfa*,
 A fhuair fafon is foghlum is eolas ga reir.
 'Sé duil am bheil mise 'nam rufgadh na trioplaid,
 Gun d'tugadh a fìthead dhiubh brifeadh a' ceud.

V.

Fir aigeannach inheannach, le glas-lann an ceann-
 bheart,
 S i Sgaiteach ga bar-dheas, 'fi an-barrach geur,
 An taice re targaid, crios breac nam ball aìrgiod,
 San dag nach roibh cearbach, gan tearmunn nan Sge,
 Le'n gunnacha glana, nach diultadh dhoibh ainneal,
 Spuir úr air an teannadh gu daingeann nan gleus,
 Gu cuingfeorach biodagach, fudarach miosarach,
 Adharcach miosail, gu misneachail treun.

VI.

Na spealpan gun a'adh a chleachd bhi ri sgathadh,
 Nach feachna, dol fhathasd an rathad sin fhein,
 'N tafdair a gha'il fa 'nceartas a thathaich,
 Tri chlaifeach na'n lamhan leis an caithe iad beum.
 Dol maidinn gu mathas cha niarradh iad aithis;
 Gu deire an latha 'sam laidhe don Ghrein,
 'Sdeas fhaclach an labhairt le caifmeachd chatha,
 Se 'n Caisteal a'n claidhe, ga 'ngleidhe gun bheud.

VII.

Fir acuinneach armach, le'm brataichean ball-bhreac,
 Bu tlachdmhor an armait' iad, 's b'ainneil am feum,
 Sliochd altrom nan garbh-chrioch, am feachd a tha
 carbsach,
 Nach coisgear an aineas gu'n dearbh iad nach geill,

Leinn is fad o na dh' fhalbh Sibh air astar an
Gbermailt.

Chur as do gach cealgoir chuir fearg oirbh fein,
An glacadh 's amarbhadh, san fgapadh mar mheana-
clro'

Sna madaidh gan leanmhuinn air leargainn an t Sleibh.

VIII.

Sliochd fineachan uafal a ghin o na tuathaich,
San iomairt bu dual dhoibh dol fuas air gach ceum,
Gach cas mar bu luaithe, 's gach lamh mar bu
chruaidhe,

San ardan an uachdar a'bualadh nan Speic,
Bu ghna' le'n luchd fuatha, bhi san ár-fhaich gun
ghluafad,

Sa phairt dhiubh dhalbh uatha, bhi an ruaig air an
deidh,

Le lamhach nan Gillean, 'fle lanntan geur biorach,
Bhithidh an naimhdean air iomain a' filleadh nan creac.

IX.

Bu chliutach na lascairean úra deas gastadh,
Mionn ful iad r'an faicinn do gach neach leis an leir,
Gach feol mar a chleachd iad, le'n co'ducha
dreachmhor,

Le n ofana breaca, 's le'm breacana'n fheil,
Tha mo dhuil r'an ti'inn dhathigh, gun an uin' a
bhi fada,

Le cumhnanta ceartais fir *Shassann* gu leir,
Le sdiuradh an Aigeil, muir dhubh-ghorm churfeachad,
'Snach cum an cuan fairfing orra bacadh, no * eisi

X.

'Nuair a thainig an trioploid 'fi a * *dha san da fhichead,*

Bha dana le misneach, 's le mios orra fein,
 Bras ardanach fìofrach, gun fhaillinn gun bhriseadh,
 'S cuid, airidh ga'n gibhtean, bhi'n gliocas San ceill,
 Tha tálannan tric' aig' a phairti úd bithchionnt,
 Sna h uil' ait 'ann san tig iad, na idir a theid,
 Co ann dráft a their mise, thig an aird ribh a chlisge,
 Mar fag sibh e nois, aig' an t Sliochd thig' nar deigh.

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ORAN XXIX.

Oran do Reifineid Earra-ghael.

I.

A RI gur mi tha aithearach,
 Mu'n nuaidheachd fo tha úr ann;
 Tha m' inntinn air a h ardachadh
 O'n thainig fir mo dhú'cha':
 Guidheamsa buai'-lárach leibh
 'S gach áite 'n loisg sibh fúdar,
 Toilinntinn aig air cairdean
 'S 'air naimhdean a bhi túirseach.

II.

Nuair thainig Mór'ear Frederic,
 Thug Dun-eideann cliu dha,
 Gur Conspull air cheann fluaigh e,
 Nuair ghluaiseas iad r'a chul-thaobh,
 Sár cheann-feadhna treubhach
 'S e leirfinneach 'g an stiuradh,
 Ag im'eachd leis an Reifimeid
 'S e fein a' deanadh iuil doibh.

III.

Tha oighichearan gasda
 Co math 'f a tha fu'n chrún ann,
 'S math a thig an airm-ghaisge dhoibh
 'S iad fasanta ga'n giulan.
 'S toil-inntinne r'am faicinn
 Na lasgairean glan úra,
 Nuair thog iad píob is brataichean
 Air machraichean nan dú-ghall:

IV.

Is innfidh mi le barantas
 O'n a b'aithne dhomh o thús sibh,
 Air chruas an áit' an tachair sibh
 Cha chéim air ais air dú'chas:
 Sliochd nan curaidh calma,
 Bh'anns na h-armailtean bha cliuiteach,
 Ri'n goireadh cách na h-Earra-ghaelich
 'S am fearg cha bu chúis shúgraidh.

V.

Tha buaidh air feachd Earra-gháel
 Cha ghabh iad fgá no cúram,
 'S iad neartmhor beachdail ardanach
 Gu reachdmhor láidir lúgh'or.
 'S daoin' uaisle ceart tha fás ann
 Nach eil fáillinneach na lúbach,
 'S neo-sheachantach na h-armuinn fin
 Ag iomain cháich gu'n dú'lan.

VI.

'S math thig dol na'n éide' dhoibh
 'S tha reufan air a chúis ud
 Tha gunnachan dea-ghleufd' aca,
 S cha'n 'eil té dhiu' dhiúltas,
 An criof-gualann fein orra
 'S an cloidhe' gle-ghheur cúil' ann,
 Bu mhath ann ám an fheime iad
 Nuair a leumadh sibh ga'n rúsgadh.

VII.

Tha iad leathan mu na broillichean,
 Fir chothromach 's iad dúmhail,
 Le 'n calpanna deas díreach,
 'S iad líontach fu' na glúinean;
 Ofain ghairid bhreaca
 Le dreach air an cur umpa,
 'S math thig gartain charnaid doibh
 Is fearr a th' anns na búithin.

VIII.

'Is lionmhor bain-tighearn' innealta,
 Nach fireadh i le dúrachd
 Ach cead bhi anns na bileidean,
 'S na gillean fo bhi dlú dhoibh;
 A bheireadh póg le fireadh dhoibh
 Cho milis ris an t fiucar,
 'S a bheireadh míltean dolar dhoibh
 'S na sporanan g' an giulan.

IX.

Tha suaicheantas na h-ALB' agaibh
 Is dh' fhalbh sibh leis gu funntach,
 Am fógh'nnan cruaidh calgarra
 'S neo-chearbach cur a chrúin air,
 An luigh is gairge riasgaiche
 A bha riamh am meafg nam flúran,
 Is ceann na muice fiadhaiche
 A leag Diarmad 's a choill údlaidh.

X.

'S e thubhairt na bha 'g amharc oirbh,
 An latha bha 'n REBHEU ann,
 Gu'm bu fhreagarach 'air lámhach,
 Nuair a thairngeadh sibh na rúdain;
 B' fharumach 'air gluasad,
 A' tarruing suas gu fiubhlach,
 'S am breacan cruinn an fhéile
 Air fleisdean geal nam fiuran.

XI.

'S fathail na daoine uaisl' a th' ann,
 'S neul cruadail air gach aon fhear,
 Na faighdearan deas cumachdail,
 'S gach duine dhiu co ionnfhicht,
 Nam bitheadh cás no cunthart ann
 Có b' urrainn ga thoirt dhiu'fan?
 'S i 'n Reifimeid as urramaich'
 A chunnaic mi le m' fhúilean.

ORAN XXX.

Cumbadh Iarla Bhruid-Albann.

I.

'S TRUAGH r'a éifdeachd an fgeul
 Fhuair mi féin tuille 's luath.
 Rinn an t-eug ceann na céille
 'S nam beus a thoirt uainn.
 Cha 'n'eil léigh tha fo 'n ghréin,
 Dheanadh feum dhuit san uair:
 'S bochd a'd' dhéigh finn gu léir,
 'S cha 'n'eil feum bhi 'ga luaidh.

II.

Tha do chairdean láidir líonmhor
 Anns gach tír a tha m'an cuairt ;
 So na dh'fhág an aigheadh íosal,
 Do chorp príseil bhi san uaigh ;
 Is iad mar loingeas gun bhi díonach,
 Fad o thír air druim a' chuaín :
 'S tusa b'urrainn an toirt fábhailt,
 Ge do bhitheadh an gábhadh cruaidh.

III.

'S ann an diugh a chaidh do cháradh
 'An ciste chláir 'san leabaidh 'uair.
 Is muladach a'd' dhéigh an tráths'
 A' chuid is airde do d' dhaoin' uaisl'.
 Tha gach duin' agad fo phrámh,
 'S goirt an cás am bheil an tuath.
 'S iad do bhochdan a tha cráiteach :
 Thugadh an taic láidir uatha.

IV.

'S iomadh dílleachdan óg falamh
 Bha le h-ainnis air dhroch fhnuagh,
 Seann daoine 's bantraichean fanna
 Bha faotainn beathachaidh uait.
 'S ann bu truagh a' ghaoir a bh'aca
 'S deoir gu frasach air an gruaidh,
 Caoineadh cruaidh, is bualadh bhafan,
 S bhi toirt páirt d'am falt a nuas.

V.

'S muladach an nochd do dhúthaich,
 'S dubhach túirseach tha do fhlugh :
 Cha 'n iognadh fin, 's mór an diubhail
 An tionndadh fo thigh'n oirn co luath ;
 Am fear a b'ábhaift bhi le dúrachd
 Gabhail cúram dhiubh gach uair,
 Dh'fhág iad 'na laidhe fan úir e
 Far nach dúisg e gu la Luain.

VI

'S ann an tráthaibh na Feill-bríde
 Tháinig críoch air faoi nam buadh.
 'S lom a thug an t-eug an fgríob oirn,
 Och mo dhíth cha teichd a luath's !
 Bhuail an gath air flath na fírinne
 Bha 'gar díonadh o gach cruas :
 'S goirid leinn do ré fan áite,
 Gad' their cách gu robh thu buan.

VII.

Cha do fheall thu riamh gu h-íosal
 Air ní chuireadh síos an tuath.
 Bu chúl-taic dhoibh anns gach áit thu ;
 'S tu bha ghnáth 'gan cumail fuas.
 Cha bu mhiann léat togail úlaidh ;
 Sin a' chúis d'an d'thug thu fuath.
 Bha thu faotainn gaoil gach duine,
 'S ghleidh thu 'n t-urram sin a fhuair.

VIII.

Bha thu léirfinneach le fuairceas ;
 Dh'fhas a'd' chom an uaisle mhór.
 Ciall is misneach, marre cruadal,
 Fhuair thu 'n dualchas fin o d' sheors'.
 Bha thu fìofrach, glic, neo-luaineach ;
 Bha t'inntinn buan anns a' chóir.
 O 'na thug iad air ghiúlan fluaigh thu,
 'S aobhar fin a luathaich deoir.

IX.

Cha 'n'eil ei'neas ann am Bealach ;
 Cha 'n'eil farum ann na ceól ;
 Daoine dubhach, 's mnathan galach,
 Is iad gun ealaidh ach am brón,
 O 'na chaidh do ghiúlan dachaidh
 O 'n mhachair air mhúthadh feoil ;
 'N áit' an éidigh fin a chleachd thu,
 Ciste, 's léine, 's brat do'n t-fról.

X.

'Nam bu daoine bheireadh dhinn thu,
 Dh'éireadh míltean air an tóir :
 O bheul Tatha gu Lathurn íochdrach,
 Sin fo chís duit agus cór :
 Far an d'fhás na gallain fhíor-ghlan,
 Is iad líonmhor ann gu leoir,
 A rachadh togarrach gud' dhíoladh,
 Nach obadh dol síos le deoin.

XI.

'Sann tha chúis nì's fearr mar tha i,
 Dóchas láidir thu bhi beo
 Am meafg nan aingeal a tha 'm phárras,
 Ann an gairdeachas ro-mhór.
 Gur e 'n Ti a ghlac air láimh thu
 Thug fan áite fin dhuit cóir
 Air oighreachd a's fearr na dh'fhág thu,
 'An áros ághmhor Rìgh na glóir.

XII.

Gad' tha 'm fear a thig a'd' áite
 'Thall an tráths' thar chuantan mór,
 Guidheam dlú gu'n d'thig e fábhailt
 (Soirbheas ard re cúl gach feoil)
 A dh'fhaotainn feilbh air an t-faibhreas
 'S air an oighreachd fin bu chóir,
 A ghabhail cúram ga chuid fearainn-
 'S ga chuid daoine is fean óg.

ORAN XXXI.

Oran do'n Eideadh Ghaelach.

I.

FHUAIR mi nuaidheachd as úr,
Tha taitneadh re run mo chroídh;
Gu fuighemid fafan na dúthch';
A chleachd finn an tús ar tím.
O'n tha finn le gloineachan lán,
A' bruidheann air mánran binn,
So i deoch Slainte Mhontrose,
A sheafamh a choir fo dhuinn.'

II.

Chunnaic mi 'n diugh an Dun-eadainn,
Comunn na feile cruinn,
Litir an fhortuin thug sgeul,
Air toiseach an ei'neis dhuinn.'
Piob gu loinneil an gleus,
Air foilleireachd ré an tuim,
Thug sinn am follas ar 'n eideadh,
Is co a their Reabail rinn.

III.

Deich bliadhna fichid is corr,
 Bha cafac do'n chlo m'ar druim,
 Fhuair finn ád agus cloc,
 'S cha bhuineadh an feors' úd dhuinn?
 Buchdaill a' dúna ar bróg,
 'Se 'm bar-ial bu bhóiche leinn,
 Rinn an droch fhafan a bh'oirnn,
 Na bodaich d'ar 'n oigridh ghrinn.

IV.

Mhill é paírt d'ar cumachd
 O'n bhlár, gu mullach ar cinn.
 Bha finn co lán do mhulad,
 'S gun d'fhas gach duine gu tinn,
 'S ann a bha 'n cás co duilich,
 'Sa thainig uile re'm linn,
 'Nuair a rinn parte Lunduinn,
 Gach ait' is urram thoirt dhinn.

V.

'S fhada bha 'n onoir air chall,
 Is fafan nan Gall oirnn dlú,
 Cota ruigeadh an t fáil,
 Cha d' tigeadh é dachail dhuinn?
 B'eigin d'on bhrigis bhi ann,
 'N uair a chuaidh ar comand cho ciuin
 'S gun drinneadh gach fine nan tráill,
 'Sgach fireannach fhagail ruifgt.'

VI.

Tha finn anois mar as maith leinn,
 'S gur ard ar caraid fa' chuir,
 A chuir air na daoine am fasan,
 Rinn parlaimid Shafann thoirt' diu'.
 Beannachd gu brath d'on Mharcus,
 A thagair an dráft ar cuis.
 F'huair é gach dlighe air ais dhuinn',
 Le ceartas an Rìogh fa chrúin.

VII.

F'huair e dhuinn' comas nan arm,
 A dheanamh dhuinn Sealg nan Stúc,
 'S a ghleadha ar daoine fa champ,
 Le fagail an naimhdean brúit.
 Thogadh e misneach nan clann,
 Gu iomairt nan lann le sunnt,
 Piob, is bratach re crann,
 'Si caifeamachd ard mu rúin.

VIII.

F'huair finn cothrom an dráft,
 A thoileichis gradh gach dúthch',
 Comas ar culaidh chur oirnn,
 Gun fharaid do phór nan lúb,
 Tha finn anois mar as coir,
 Is taitnidh an feol r'ar fuil,
 Chuir finn' am brigis air lár
 'S cha d'tig e gu brath a cuil.

IX.

Chuir finn a fuas an deise,
 Bhios uallach freagarach dhuinn,
 Breacan an fheile preafach
 Is peiteag d'on eadach úr.
 Cót a chadadh nam ball,
 Am bitheadh a' charnad dlú',
 Ofan nach ceangail ar ceim,
 'S nach ruigeadh mar réis an gléin.

X.

Toagaidh na Gaidheil an ceann,
 Cha bhi iad an fang n'as mo,
 Dh' fhalbh na speirichin teann,
 Thug orra bhi mall gun lúgh.
 Siubhlaidh iad fireach nam beann,
 A dh' iarruidh dhamh feang le'n cú,
 'S eatrom theid iad a dhannsa,
 Freagraidh iad frann gach cuil.

XI.

Tha finn an comain an Uafail,
 A choifinn le chruadal cliu,
 Chuir e le teomachd laidir,
 Faoíneachd cháich air cúl.
 Oighre cinn-feadhna nan Grámach
 'S ioma fuil ard na ghnuis
 'Sann tha Marcus an áidh
 Am mac thig an áit'an Duic.

ORAN XXXII.

Oran, na'm Fineachan a fhuair Fearann o'n Rì.

I.

THA sgeul úr an trath fo's duthaigh,
'S chuir é fúnt ro mhór oirnn,
Gu'n d'fhuair ar cairdean, mar a b'abhait,
Bhi nan áite comhnuidh:
Gach fearann ár-bhaiticht' a bh'ann,
O linn a Chaimp bha górach,
Rinn na h aithrichean a chall;
Ach fhuair a chlann an coir air.

II.

'S Mór an fonas ann san rioghachd,
Rioghalachd na h oigri',
A ghluas gu feum, re guailibh cheile,
'S iad gu leir co deónach,
Cinn fheadhna threun, le'n daoine fein,
Gach reasamaid an ordugh,
Le cliu gun cheilg, 's le durachd dearbht,
B' e 'n rún bhi 'n feirbheas *Dheorsa.*

III.

Na laoi ch ghafta dh'eirigh leat,
 Do dh'ior fhuil cheart Chlann *Dombnuill*,
 S' lionmhór gaisgeach treubhach tapaidh,
 A thain' amach 'gan comhnadh,
 Bha buaidh is feart, nan ruag, s'nam feachd,
 Na dhualchas ac o'n feorfa,
 Dol fuas gu bras, le luas nan cas,
 Sa'n cruaidh-lann ghlas nan dornuibh.

IV.

'Slion'ar lascair thig o'n *Apinn*,
 Píobach bratach Srólach,
 Fir chalma ghafta, is arm nan glaic,
 Co ac fhuineach 's bu choir dhoibh,
 Bhiodh luaidh amach le fuaim nan snap,
 A' bualadh chlach re ordaibh,
 Aig' fluagh le'n fasan cruadal ceart
 Sa fhuair a chleachduinn óg dhoibh.

V.

'S únntach meamnach treubhach ainmeil,
Camaranich o Lochaidh,
 Fir threin gun chealg, le'm beus bhí garg,
 'S iad fein a dhearbh gu leor dheth,
 Bhiodh gleus an arm nan eibhle dearg,
 'S lann gheur gun chearb ga choir sin,
 Bhiodh reubail marbh an deigh an sealg,
 'N uair dheireadh fearg nan oig fhear.

VI.

'S lionmhór curaidh thig a *Druman*
 Feumail ullamh ordail,
 Eidear Muileann uifge Thurraid,
 Agus mullach Moirbheinn;
 Leis nach duilich dol an cunntart;
 Tir is muir a sheóladh,
 'S fhuair iad urram bualadh bhuillean,
 Ann fa h wile comhdhail.

VII.

Tha Sár cheann feachd is laidir taic,
 A thig o'n Chaisteil *Leodach*,
 Le pairtidh cheart, 's iad ard nam beachd,
 A dh'fhas gu reachdmhór fógluimt,'
 Tha 'n leabhai pailt a dh'eiridh leat,
 Gu feum do neart a cho'nadh,
 'S bhi piob an gleas, is ceann an fheigh,
 Le crann is breid an t froil ris.

VIII.

Thig o'n *Mhor-fhaich* co'lain bhorb,
 A theid le foirm ann ordugh,
 Gu dana colgail, lan air storbadh,
 'S arda stoirm an t-feors' ud,
 Dol luath nan eideadh, cruaidh r' am feachainn,
 Gluafaid ceill is mórchuis,
 Aig' fluagh nach geill, tha buaidh nan deigh,
 San uaille fein ga cho' duch'.

IX.

Thig Laoich bharruight a' *Cinnalla'*,
 'S ard an air' air mórchuis,
 Air mhead na carraid, beus nam fear úd,
 Gleustachd far an coir dhoibh
 An cliu bh'aig' finsireachd nan gallan,
 Cha chaillear ra'm beó-é,
 Daoine rioghail dileas daingean,
 Fìor 'nan gealladh comhradh.

X.

Thig Clann Ghrigair le fàr mhifnich,
 Anns a mheas 'm bu choir dhoibh,
 Gu prìofail, aghar, lion'ar laidir,
 Rioghail, statail, proifail:
 Chuaidh riamh 'sgach aite dian sna blaraibh
 'S gnìomh an laimh a chòdach
 'S iad ard fa chuir le 'n ainm as ur
 Ge d' thuga dhiu 'n Gleann Freoin e.

XI.

Thig o *Chluaini'* fàr dhaoin' uaisle,
 Thairneas suas gu seólta,
 'S fad o'n chualas gu'm be'n dualchas,
 Buidhinn buaidh a' chomhrug,
 Teine 's luaidhe, s lamhan luatha,
 Far an gluais iad comhla'
 Ruidh na ruaig air an luchd fuathath,
 San cur uatha brónach.

XII.

Thig o *Shruthan* na fir úradh,
 Laidir luthmhór eolach,
 'S o'n du' ghiufaich theid gu siu'lach,
 Ann an tús na do' ruinn,
 Luaidh is fudar chuir na smúidean,
 Is fuil na bruchda dortadh,
 Claidhean cuil a bhi 'gan rúsgadh,
 'S ruidh gu dlú fan toreachd.

XIII.

Thig na *Cannanaich* nan deannamh,
 'S iad a tional comhla',
 Theid ceart fa chabhaig, 's neart d'an caraid,
 An dream is fearrail dochas,
 Ga b'e theannadh riu le falachd,
 Bhiodh am barail górrach,
 'S mairg re'n tachradh an am gaifgidh,
 Aghaidh neart nan comhlan.

XIV.

'S eideach arraiceach treud na *b Alba*,
 Dh'eireagh fealbh gu leor dhoibh,
 Gu'm fead iad falbh gu faor fo'n armadh,
 Is eadach ball-bhreac boi'each :
 O'n thraoigh gach fearg, a thaobh gach cealg,
 Sean argumaid a thoiseach,
 Tha gaól ga dhearbha, s feadar earbs',
 A' deagh luchd leanmhuin *Dheorsa*.

XV.

'S mór an onoir th'aig' an Rìgh,
 Rinn dilfin ga luchd fógruidh,
 Thug dhoibh a' ris, gach áite prìofal,
 Ann's gach tìr tha m'eolas,
 A bh' aig' an sìnfireachd, fìr chiofean,
 A chuaidh gan dì le foirneart,
 'S maith an durachd th'aig gach duthaigh,
 A toirt cliu ga *Mhorachd*.

XVI.

Na cinn cheille 's fearr fìr' 'n ghrein,
 Le'n inntinn fein a thoifich,
 Rì gnìomh an fheum, a luaigh gu leir,
 Sa chuir an geill gun fóradh,
 Le flathan feile, a labhair reafan
 A ghleadha steigh na córach,
 Fhuair gach oighre an nì, fan Staoile',
 An fàir'bhreas fan cuid stòrais.

XVII.

Thainig coir, is dh'fhalbh an eacoir,
 Is leum ár croidh' le sólas,
 Tha uaislean treun fan uair so fein,
 Gu h uallach eatrom ceól mhór,
 Tha 'n tuath re feide suas tein' ei'neis,
 Air na fleibhteag móra,
 So a' bhliadhna chrun an reite,
 Sin an sgeul tha co' duight,

ORAN XXXIII.

Oran a Bhotail

I.

NUAIR a shuidheas finn focair fa dh'olas finn
botal,
Cha'n aithnigh ar stoc uainn na chuiris finn ann
Thig onoir is fortan le sonas a chopain,
Garson nach bi deoch oirnn mu 'n tog finn ar
ceann.

II.

Bheir an stuth grunn oirnn, feinn gu fileanta,
Chuir a thoil-inntin binneas nar cainnt,
Chaisg i ar n' iota 'n fhir dheoch mhillis,
Bu mhuladach sinne na m biodh i air chall.

III.

Deoch slainte nan gaisgeach nan Gaelibh gasta,
Gam b' abhaist mar fhasan bhi poit air an dram,
Luchd gaoil an stuth bhlasta, 's ar dhaoirid an
lacha

Nach caomhna am beartas a scapa' san am.

IV.

Fear 'ga bheil ní gheabh e na shireas e,
 Fear a tha crionda fanadh é thall,
 Fear a tha mi-'or cha fhulaing finn' e,
 'S am fear a bheil grinneas theid ioman a nall.

V.

'S ra rioghail an obair fruth brioghar na togalach
 Ioclaint a bhogaicheas croidh tha gann
 'S e chuireadh an fodan air fear a bhiodh togarach
 'S chuireadh é am bodach a fear a bhiodh teann.

VI.

Cha' n'eil fan tír uafal no cumanta,
 Nach' eil air thí gach urram a th' ann,
 Ga do bhio' strith ma thogail na mairichinn,
 Cia mar a's urrainn finn' fuirreach o'n dram.

VII.

Tha e fionnar do'n chreabhaig a h-uile la gréine
 Thig teas, o na speura thar fleibhte nam beann,
 'Se math ri la reoghta chuir blath's ann am porá
 An fhir theid ga dheóin ann tigh ofda na dheann.

VIII.

Cuiridh e funnt air muinntir eireachdail,
 Tiomchioll a bhuird 's cuid eile dhiu danns'
 Thogamaid fonn neo throm is ceileirin,
 'S freagarrach sheinnis finn deire gach rann.

IX.

O'n fhuidh finn' co fada, fa dhol finn na bh' againn
 'Si choir dol a chadal o'n thainig an t am,
 Cha'n fhonadh ach pailteasthoirt fólas ga'r naigne,
 Deoch mhor anns a mhadainn gu leigheas ar ceann.

X.

Am fear tha gun chlí cuiridh e spiorad ann,
 Togaidh e criodhe gach fir a tha fann,
 Theid am fear tinn gu grinn air mhirre'
 'S e leigheas gach tinnis deoch mhilis an dram.

ORAN XXXIV.

Oran a Bhranndi.

*Di-baal-lum, Di-baal-lum, Di-i'il-i'il, banndan,
 Di-dir-ir-i-hal-bi'il-lum, Di-dir-ir-i-hál-haoi-rum
 Di-i'il-i'il-hal-dir-ir-i, ha-ri-ha'al-haoi-rum,
 Di-i'il-baal-dil-il-i'il, dor-ri-ho'ol-kann-dan.*

'T HA fortan ann bi deoch againn,
 Na biodh an copan gann oirnn,
 Tha pailteas ann fna botalaibh,
 Cha'n eil an stoc air chall oirnn,

'S feairde finn an toiseach e,
 Gu profnachadh air cainnte,
 Gad bhiodh a huile deoch againn
 Se fdocha leinn am Branndi,

Di haallum, &c.

Se fin an fruthan mireanach,
 An tobar milis feannfail,
 Tha binneas marri grinneas,
 A chuir spioraid am fear fann ann,
 S' heairde finn na 'hirreas finn,
 Cha chulai' a mhille' cheann e ;
 Sro mhath 'n seife muineil,
 Do gach duine gha'as rann e.

Di haallum, &c.

Na fir ann fa bheil criodhalas,
 Nach eil an croidhe gann ac.
 Combanaich na dighe,
 A ni fuidhe leis an dram iad,
 Iarruidh iad a ri'isd e,
 Mu bhitheas beagan ann deth.
 Nuair chluinneas iad an fhioghall ;
 Bi iad figheareach gu dannfa.

Di haallum, &c.

Nuair gheibh finn do na barraillean,
 Na smail leinn 'fu'r cummannda,
 Na cupain a tha falamh,
 Bhi le fearraig a cuir ann da ;

Gach caraid a bhios a taitne rinn,
 Gum bait leinn e bhi cainnt rinn,
 Nuair a thig a ghloine bhafdalach,
 Air bhlas an tsiucair channdi,

Di haallum, &c.

Cho chunnart duinn e hearuichdinn,
 Tha sealoir ann san Fhraing dheth,
 Cha'n eil eagal gainne;
 Air an loinneas thug a nall e,
 Fheir sinne on bu toil linn e,
 Nach dean a choire call oirnn;
 Air fhad fga'n dean sinn fuireach ris,
 Bhi ga 'ail tuille fannd air.

Di haallum, &c.

Na fir a tha na 'n scrupairean,
 Nach caith an cuid san am fo,
 Cha nimir iad bhi cuidirinn,
 Na 'n tubaisdean le ganndar,
 Cha fir iad dol an cuideachd,
 Is cha'n iarr a chuideachd ann iad,
 Mar cuir am burnn am pagha dhiu,'
 Cha'n fhaidhe iad am Branndi.

Di haallum, &c.

RANN I.

Rann do'n Pha'adh.

'SBOC an deireadh beatha bron,
Solc an deireadh oil pa'adh ;
Smuladach fuidhe mun bhord,
Gun an stób 'a lionadh fhathasd ;
'Saidhearach daoin uailse coir,
Aig am bheil stóras nan lamhan ;
'Ni ól nuair bhios iad paiteach,
'Sa bheir paighe do na mnathan.

Seibhinn fa mhadinn a cho'ail,
Thigh'n oirne toifeach an latha,
Bean uafal a tigh'n ga feomar,
Achuire folas feadh an tighe,
Bottal mor aice na lai',
'Se dearrlán a dhuifge-beatha ;
'Sól gu críodheil air a cheile,
'Stheir i fhein gur é air beatha ;

Se fassan ceart a Stigh-thairnne,
Misneach ard fa nam gu caithe ;

Bithidh fear leis nach toil am Branndi,
 Ri cul chainnt oirnn cheann a gha'il ;
 Se 'their combanach a Bhottail,
 Lion a fuas a'n copan fa'afd ;
 Smor na mhaoi'eas orm mo dheoch,
 Ach sbeag na dh'idireas mo Pha'adh.

R A N N II.

Rann Arm.

'C HUNAIC mi 'n diu' a chlach bhuaghach,
 'S an leúg aluinn,
 Ceanglaichean do'n or mu'n cuairt dhi,
 Na chruinn mhaille,
 Bannan tha daingean air fuaigheantas,
 Mo chairdean
 A lean gr'amail r'an feann dualchas,
 Mar a b' abhaist,

Inneal gu imtheachd roimh chruadal,
 Le fluagh laidir,
 Fir nach gabh giorag na fuathas,
 Le fuaim lamhaich,

Fineadh a's minic a ghluais,
 Ann an ruaig namhaid,
 Nach firreadh tilleadh gun bhuannachd
 No buaidh lárach.

Bha fibh uair gu grinn a feóladh
 Air tuinn fáileadh,
 Chuaidh tarrunn a aon do bhórda,
 Druim a bhata,
 Leis a chabhaig sparr e 'n órdag,
 Sios na h-aite
 'S bhuail e gu teann leis an ord i,
 'S ceann dhi fhágail.

An onair a fhuair an faor Sleiteach,
 Leis gach treuntas a dh'fhás ann,
 Ghleadha fathasd ga fhliochd fein i,
 Adhainnein eacorach gach namhad,
 Na h airm ghaifge, ghafta ghléufta,
 Dh' orduigh an riogh gu feum dhafán
 Co math 'fa th' aig duine 'n dream threun fin
 A fhliochd Cholla Cheud chathaich Spaintich.

Dornn an claidheamh is lamh duin' uafail
 Le crois táraidh,
 Iolairean le 'n fgiathan luatha,
 Gu cruas gábhaidh,
 Long aig imtheachd air druim chuantain
 Le fuil árda,

Gearra arm Mhic-Saoir 'o Chruachan,
Aonach uachdarach Earra-Ghael

Tha do dhaoine tric air fairrge,
Sgiobairean calma neo sgáthach,
Tha 'n aogas cumachdail dealbhach
'S ioma armailt am bheil pairt dhiu',
Thug iad gaol a fhiughal garbhlaich,
Moch a's anmoch a fealg fáfaich,
Cuid eile dhiu' nan daoin' uaisle,
'S tha cuid dhiubh nan tuath ri aiteach

'S rioghail an eachdraidh na chualas
Riamh m'ud phairte,
'S lionmhor an taic na tha suas dhiubh,
Na'm biodh cás ort,
Tha gach buaidh eile ga reir fin
An Gleann-Nodha fein an tamhachd
Piob is bratach a's neart ag Seumas,
An Ceann cinnidh nach treig gu brath finn.

RANN III.

Rann do'n Ghaelìc 's do'n Phìob mhoir bliadhna,
1781.

THA 'n comunn rioghail Gaelic,
Ann trath fa cumail fuas,
Cuimhn' air feol nan ármunn,
A b' a'aist a bhi ga luaidh,
A chainnt a dh' eannfaich iadfan dhuibh,
'Si ghnathaich sibh gu buan,
Ghlé sibh stoc na cá'nain,
'Scha 'n fhailnich i uainn.

Is folafach an cruinneacha,
Cinn-chinnidh a's daoin uails',
Ard mhóralachd nam fineachan,
'S gach ionad tha mu'n cuairt,
Onoir a thaobh nadair,
Ga gnathachadh a nuadh,
Gu'n glé, sibh piob mar b' a'aist
Is Gaelic ullamh chruaidh.

'Si 'n labhairt bha fa Ghárradh,
Dh' fhág Adh'mh i aig an t fluagh,

'Si chainnt a bh' aig na Faidhean,
 Thug fios Pharrrais dhuinn anuas,
 'Si bhrùigheann a bh' ann san fháfach,
 'Nam tragma do'n mhuir ruaidh,
 'S i nios a meafg an álaich,
 Tha lathair anns an uair.

'S i 's binne bhi ga breifdeachd,
 Thuirt beul na chuala cluas,
 Their Albainn agus Eirinn,
 Safunn fein gur mor a luach,
 Aon duin aig am bi feum orra,
 Cha treig é i air dhuais
 'S i chuis is fearr gu'n d'eirich i.
 An deis dhi bhi na fuain.

Bu mhor am beud gu'm báfaiche,
 A chán'ain a's fearr buaidh,
 'S i freis thoirt greis air ábháchd,
 Sa h uil ait 'n teid a luaigh
 'S i 's fearr gu aobhar ghaire,
 'S is binne bhlaithé fuaim,
 'S i ceol nam Piob 's nan clárfach,
 Luchd dán a's dheanamh Dhuan.

'S i 's fearr gu togbail inntin
 Le binn-guth chomhra tláth,
 'Si sgaitiche gu miómhola'
 'S á 's mine nochdas grádh

'Nam cruinneacha nam milltean,
 Le piob gu iomairt lann,
 'S i dhuifgeadh colg air oigrìdh,
 'Nuair thogta fról ri crànn.

'Si piob nam feadan fiu'lach,
 A bhuineadh cliu fa champ,
 Air thoifeach nan laoch úra,
 'S meoir lúghar dlu nan deann,
 A chaismeachd ghasda shunntach,
 Bu duchar di bhi ann,
 'S pailt a nis as ur i,
 Ge d' bha i aon fhuair gann.

Le spionna chairdean Gaelach,
 Tha Lunnainn lán a nios,
 Aig ardácha na Gaelic,
 A h uile la mar thig
 Aig feothas 's tha na h armuinn,
 Ga gnathacha gu tric
 B' e gaol gach duine an fafunn,
 I bhi acafan na measg.

A chainnt chaoi'neil thaitneach,
 Dheas labhrach, bhlafta, bhrifg,
 'S lionmhor cliu tha'n taice ri,
 Fafan agus meas;
 Tha ceol ás Gaelic Alba,
 'S luchd seanachais 'ga 'm bheil fios
 Ga foghlam feadh nan garbh chrìoch
 'S gan deara'adh fan Eaglais bhric

RANN IV.

Rann do'n Ghae'lic 's do'n Phìob mhoir bliadhna,
1782.

THA 'n comunn uafal rioghail,
A' síor chur feol an draft,
Air nadurachd an finnfreachd,
A thogbhail cinn 's gach áit'.
A' gháilic air a mineacha'dh
O's cinnteach gur i 's fearr.
An labhairt phrìofail chúramach,
Rinn cúmhanta re Adhamh.

Tha gach duine 'g ínnfeadh dhuinn,
Co chinteach ris a bhás,
Gur í bu chainnt aig' Noáh
'Nam feóladh ann fan airc',
'Si uaith sin gu lionmhor,
Aig gach linnidh ata fa's,
'S cha d'teid í chaoidh air dio-chuimhn,
Gus an tím an tig am brá.

Tha gháilic air a lionadh,
Do mhiorbhuile gu leir,

Iular fonnmhór failteachail,
 A' cuir a grádh an geill,
 Mire 's cluich is gairdeachas,
 Is mánrán ann 's gach beul,
 Cha chuala finn 's an eachdairi',
 Na 's ceairte na i fein.

Tha gach fàson gaidhealach,
 Ann dráft a'ti'nn gu feum,
 Na deisichin a b' abhàist' dhoibh
 Sa b'fhèarr leo aca fein.
 Coinneabh ann sgach aife,
 Aig na h armainn is fearr beus,
 Gach duine labhairt Gai'lig dhiu,
 Sa phiob a ghna' a 'n gleus.

'Si piob mhór na h'Eaglais-brice,
 A' phiob as mo meas ann Albainn,
 Fainneachan chnámh air a dofaibh,
 'S i gu laidir focair calma.
 Séidear na mála an toiseach,
 Na lionas a corp le aitheas,
 Suntach an ionframaid-phort is,
 Is ard a chluinntè glochd a fealbhain.

Tha i eireachdail r'a faicinn,
 Cha' n'eil ball d'on acfhuinn cearbach,
 Le riobhaid nam binn ghuth blasda;
 San stoc dreachar air a charbha'dh.

Gaothradh deas dìreach gasta,
 Ann fna fàfona as fearr dhiubh,
 Sionfoir choi'-lionadh gach facail
 A ni chaiseamachd a dhearbhadh.

Tha i meafail air gach banais,
 A bhithas am fearran nan garbh-chrìoch,
 'S fearrd' an camp i 'n am dhoibh tarruing,
 Gu feinn co'fhional na h armait.
 'S maith i gan dufgadh fa mhadainn,
 'S gan cuir a chadal mu an-moch,
 Tha i corr an am an eudraidh
 Se 'm feafgar a chuid is fearr dh'i.

'Sliònmhor fuir'eich aig an ainnir,
 I'ha ti 'ghin ceanalta na tairgse,
 Ga b'e aca leis an d'theid i
 Bith' eudach ris agus farmad.
 Am fear gu'm bheil an dan a cofnadh,
 'S ann air ata 'm fortun margaidh,
 Iurach nam pongannan glana
 'S eibhinn ga leannan bhi falbh le.

Tha í meafail ann an Lunduinn,
 Fhuair i urram ann fan tír fo,
 'S fearr í na torman na clarfaich,
 'S thug i barr air cluiche fighle
 'S mor an onoir th'aig a pháirti,
 Nach leig iad gu brath a dhi' oirn',

Ceol gun a leithid ra aireamh
Is cá'nain urramach na firinn.

Raogha gach cainnt gáilic ro mhaith,
Tagha gach ciuil fgal na pioba,
'S ann anois tha 'n t'am gu tarruing,
Aig ard luchd ealaidh na Rioghachd.
Le ceol fiubhlach lúthmhor ealamh,
Suntach caireafach luath dìonach.
'Tha 'n fo breathanais air talamh,
'S gheibh gach fear a reir na ni é.

RANN V.

Rann do'n Ghae'lic 's d'on Phiob mhoir bliadhna,
1783.

'T A sgeul ag'am dhuibh r'a innse,
Air ceol 's air cá'nain ;
A' toirt cliu air clùiche Pioba,
'S air labhairt Gailic :
'Ta 'n drást a cinntin lionmhor,
'S na h uil' aite ;
'G ardúchadh onoir na rioghachd,
Ann fan d'fhas sinn.

'S í th'aig gach Ministear sgiarachd,
 'S gach tìr arraidh,
 Toirt gu ceart dhuinn eachdruidh Phìobuil,
 An feól crabhaidh ;
 'Ta i 'm beul gach filì mineachadh,
 Ceol dana,
 Is i is fearr gu moladh prìofail,
 'S gu fìor chaineadh.

'Ta i cruadalach cruaidh sgairteal,
 Do dhaoìn' uafìle reachdar laidir,
 An am treuntaìs na gaisgeadh,
 'Si is deas-fhacalich fan'ait' úd,
 Ta i ciun an cuisean fialaidh,
 A chur an gnìomh a briathra blatha,
 'S tha i corr a sgoltadh rìafain,
 Chum sluadh gun chiall a chur samhach.

'Ta i iular fìofrach caoinèil,
 Freagarach faói'neachdach baigheoil,
 'S meafal a labhairt 's a h eisteachd,
 A chur gach deud air fiamh an gaireadh ;
 A fagra' fa bruidheann le cheile,
 A' tog'ail éabhnais, 'mir', is mánran
 Sìobhalta farasta beufach,
 Am beul gach neach atà nárach.

'Ta Ghàilìg, fa Phìob ag eirigh,
 Gu mor speis an tìr nan Gàidheil

Urram gach ciuil le deagh reufan,
 'S ann aig' a Phiob fein ata é,
 'S tormanach póngail a their i,
 Gach fonn ceilleir thig o bragad,
 'S i is binne 's is aird' a sheinneas,
 Cha chluinnthear ceol eile laimh ri.

Is binn an nualan úd ra eifteachd,
 'Nuair a chuir'ear feid na mála,
 Sa cheartaicheas fear a gleus i,
 Ceart r'a cheile na duis arda,
 'S cianail a shinneas i cumhadh,
 Subhach a shinneas i failte
 Urrlar, is fiubhal gu fiubhlach,
 Is crún-ludh m'am fuirich i samhach.

'Si 'n dá chuid i ceol is, cais'machd,
 'S croidheal air aftar san támh i,
 Is bha i riamh air bheul gach caisteil,
 Ri dian mhaenos le ceum fraide,
 Is leig iad aon uair i a' cleachduinn,
 Gun bhi ac' ach an corr áite,
 'Ta i nios gu grinn am fasan,
 'S cinnteach dhi mairfin gu brath ann.

Ban-mhaisteir gach inneal ciuil,
 A Phiob úr so thainig an draft oirn,
 A chuireas fir ghleusta ga'n dubh-lan,
 Nach leig dhiubh gun d'fheuchain ghabhaidh

Fear a buighne bidh é cliutach,
 'S onoir ga dhuthaigh 's ga chairdean,
 A Phiob fo bhi air a ghiúlan,
 Gar dufgadh maidinn a maireach.

RANN VI.

Rann de'n Ghae'lic 's de'n Phiob m'boir bliadhna,

1784.

INNSI' mi sgeul airid dhuibh,
 Air ca'nain, is air ceól,
 Raogha na deas ghailic,
 'S i is fearr gu innfe sgeoil,
 A chainnt is lionmhor pairtin;
 'S is milfe mánran beoil,
 Gu freagrach deas-labhrach,
 'S i ard chuifeach gu leoir.

'S i chainnt a bh'aig 'na righridh,
 Gan roibh 'n rioghachd fo nan coir,
 'S i bruidhean Dhuic, is Iarlachan,
 'S i dh'iarradh iad ma'n bórd,

'S i bh' aig 'na daoine' uaisle,
 Sa gheabht' aig' an tuath choir;
 'S i bha, fa tha aig' Buachaillean,
 A' cuartachadh nam bó.

'N uair a fgaoil na cainntin,
 Aig' túr ai' readh mór,
 Fhuair a ghaidhlig maighstearachd,
 San am fin thar gach feors',
 Gur i is fearr gu teangaireachd,
 Tha 'n ceann aon neach tha beó,
 Geur foilleir fónnmhor oranach,
 An feomraichean an óil.

'S lionmhor urram laidir,
 Fhuair a ghailic air gach feól,
 'S i rinn a cheud sacramaint,
 Do'n phap' a bha san Roimh,
 Is i th'aig' cleir an áite fo,
 Gach la toirt comhairl' oirn',
 Gaol filli, is luchd dána,
 Chainnt nadurra gun ghó.

S i fhuair finn o na paranta,
 A rinn ar 'n áthrach óg,
 'S i bu mhaith leinn fhagail,
 Aig' an ál tha teachd oirn',
 Tha h uile car a dh'innfínn orr',
 A' cur a pris a' móid,

Gur i cainnt is brioghora,
'S i phiob is fearr gu ceól.

A phiob úr fo thainig do'n bhaile,
A dh'fhaoitin urram,
'S i ceann inneal ciuil an fhearainn,
Sna duitch' uile,
Le meoir luthmhor air a crannaibh,
'S le dlu' bhuillean.
'S ard a chluinnt i's binn a langan,
'S grinn a cumachd.

Tha dofan le iobhruidh ballach,
Cochull do 'n t fide ma muineal,
'S ofgara' dionach a callan
Air thoiseach mhiltin air thurus,
Profnuchadh rioghail na carraid,
An cabhaig, an itri', nan cumasg,
Cha bhi sprochd fan tir am fan i,
Is fortunach an ti g'am buin i.

Is deo' greine leis an luchd ealaidh,
Tha 'n Albainn gu leir, fann Lunduin,
A phiob is maith gleus, is gearradh,
Laidir falluin, eatrom ullamh,
'S mór an tei'neas i ga leannan,
Bhi aige na fge' ga cumail,
Fónn cheol ré a' cré na h ainnir,
Beufan glana na treun chulaidh.

'S e cheud cheol a bh'air an talamh,
 A phiob mhor is boi'each guileag,
 'S i bh'aig' *Fionn*, aig' *Goll*, 's aig' *Garadh*,
 Ann an talla nan laoch fuileach,
 'S mairg a chitheadh air feól calla,
 Caismeachd chairifeach nan curaidh
 Mhofgladh i le feid ga h ainail,
 Gu feum ealamh an *Fheinn* uile.

Mo ghibht phrìofail gun a ceannach,
 Tha 'n coi' thional fo air chumail,
 Breitheachan dileas gan tarruing,
 A ni ceart an fhirinn uile,
 Gheibh gach fearr a reir na healaidh,
 Ann fam bi é fhein na urrainn,
 'S tha é saór aig maith an airi,
 A phiob fhaotainn thar gach duine.

R A N N VII.

Rann do'n Ghae'lic 's do'n Phiob mboir bliadhna,
1785.

So cruinneachadh uaislin meafail,
Tha a' cumail suas am fasan,
Na cainnt a tha buagh-mhor fiofrach,
Le 'n fìor bhrìc, a chualas eachdraidh,
Tha i luath 's cha' n'eil i liotach,
'S tha i cruaidh ma labhrar ceart i,
'S cha 'n 'eil a luchd fuath bicheant,
Si bha tric aig' luchd nam breacan.

Can'mhuin gan truailleadh gun mheafga,
'S gaidheil gan dual i bhi aca,
'S nadura ga fuaim bhi miosail,
'S misneachail an Sluagh a chleachd i,
Cainnt mhathaireil gun bhruaidlein idir,
Ach bhi, lan do Shuairceas tlachd-mhor,
Ceól gáire ga luaidh gu bicheant,
S luchd dána ga luadh chur-feachad.

Tha *Lunduin* gle ard am misnich,
Le spionnadh nan gaidheil gasta,

A fhuair urram 's gach áit' an firt' iad,
 Na curaidhean calma reachd-mhór,
 Tha gabhail curam riochdail,
 A chumail na rioghachd neart-mhor,
 'S dh' orduigh gu fìorruidh nach briosfior,
Gaidhlig, piobaireachd, is bratach.

Tha uaflean *Dhùn-cudain* le gliocas,
 Gu rioghail re-bheartach tlachd-mhor,
 Cha 'n fhead eacoir bhi nam meafg fan,
 San dhoibh fein is leir an ceartas,
 Ris an fheumach tha iad iochdmhór,
 Is air na beistein tha iad smachdail,
 Ann am treabhantas no trioblaid,
 'S mairg a theannadh re leum tharta.

Co theannadh re leum thairis,
 Air na laochaibh fearail treubhach,
 Na Gaidheil ardanach uaibhreach,
 'S iad laidir re guaillibh a cheile,
 A chuireadh crith air cach le fuathas,
 Ann am bhualadh nan lann geura',
 'S mairg air an cromadh na tuathaich,
 Comunn cruadalach nach geilleadh.

Tha gach car tha tigh'n m'an cuairt dhoibh,
 An trá's as buaghmhóra na cheile,
 Am fearann a chuaidh a thoirt uatha,
 Gun d'fhuair iad uile gu léir e,

Bithidh gach dligheach far 'm bu dual dhoibh,
 'S uachdairain air an cuid fein iad,
 Bithidh na h oighreachan fuas dheth,
 'S cha bhi tuathnach na eigin.

'Nuair a sheallas finn air ar falluinn,
 Bheir finn beannachd air a *Ghreumach*,
 Is air *Mac-Shimidh* mór na Moraich,
 A, moirear a bu mhath feum dhuinn,
 S a chúirt a b'airde bha 'n *Lunduin*,
 Fhuair iad ann urram is eisteachd,
 'S tha 'n rioghachd uile nan comain,
 Fhuair iad dhuinn comas ar 'n eideadh.

Tha coi'-thionail rioghail ghaidheil,
 Ann trás am baile *Dhun-eudain*,
 A' cumail am prios na *gaidhlig*,
 A thaobh nadair o's cionn *beurla*,
 'S a' gleidheadh *piob* mhór mar b'abhaist,
 'O 's cionn *clarfaich*, na ceól theudan,
 San da thoil-inntin sin fhagail,
 Aig' an álach thig 'nar deighne.

R A N N VIII.

Rann do'n Ghae'lic 's d'on Phib mhoir bliadhna,
1789.

P R O S N A C H A D H cluiche na pioba,
Dh' innfinn pairt deth,
Ann toifeach, 'a gleufadh,
'Nuair a lìonar féid na máladh,
Fonnar freagarrach ga cheile,
Na duis arda,
Lán toil-inntin do'n luchd eisteachd,
Bhios ga cláifin.

Piob uallach na maidin réithe,
'S na'n ceanna cnamha,
Do 'n fhiogh chruaidh thig a Seuméca,
'S fhearr tha fás ann,
Air a thuairneireachd cruinn dìreach,
Iobhuireach fainneach,
Gaidhearach, seadanach, finealt,
Le binne chaileachd.

'S freagarrach a chuid a steach dhi,
'S tha 'n taobh 'mach dhi dreachar daicheil,

Tonnagach, Ribeineach, riomhach,
 Dofan do'n t fhioda ri franraich,
 Mu mhuineal nam buaidhean prífeil,
 Cumail dìon air a mín bhragad,
 Cuile na slugan tha ga lionadh,
 Air a dhionachadh le snaithean.

'Si phìob úr a tha 'n Dun-eudann,
 Eabhnas Ghaidheil,
 Inneal ciùil a's fhèarr fui' 'n ghrein,
 Le reafan arraid,
 Tha i snasmhor, maifeach, finealt,
 Cuimir, dreachdmhor, dìonach, laidir,
 Gu binne, boigheach, feocail, ceutach,
 Ceolmhor, eatrom, eabhuinn, aluinn.

Pìob a chuireadh fund gu mire,
 Fonn is farum,
 Air gach diuc is ard cheann-cinnidh,
 'S oighre fearainn,
 Biodh gach duin' uafal ga fireadh,
 Gu togail na fluaigh 's a charraid,
 'Nam tharruing a suas gach fine,
 Dhol a bhualadh nan cruaidh lannan.

Ceol a's rioghaile 's a's fine chuala finne,
 Bhi air thalamh,
 Ceol as brioghmhoire 's a's binne,
 S a's grinne thug meoir a crannaibh,

Cha chualas neach riamh a dhimail,
 Dreach is deanadas na hainnir,
 'S fhuair i cliu le beul gach filii,
 A bha 's duthaich b fhiach gu rannan.

Tha 'n rioghachd lán eabhnais uile,
 'S Dun-eudann gu tric nan aire,
 Liughad treun-fhear th' ann a cumail,
 Reachd is reafan a choi-thionail,
 Caint a's geire chuala duine,
 'S urramach gach beul a chanas,
 A chánain ata reidh ullamh,
 Beufach furanach, gle eallamh.

'S onair do'n Ghail'teachd turas,
 Na thainig an draft do'n bhaile,
 Chumail am prís briogh an t fheanachais,
 Tha farmadaich leis na Gallaibh,
 Gailic Albannach nan curaidh,
 'S a phiob bana-mhaistir gach ealaidh,
 An ceol 's a chaint afhuair gach urram,
 'S luaithe bh' ann 's a's fhaide mhaireas.

RANN IX.

Rann Uistean.

TURRAS a chuaidh mi air astar a Chinntaile,
Chunna mi daoine Uailse tlachdmhor, caoineil
pairteach,
Bha aon Bhallach ann air Bainis, a thug dhamh
tamailt,
O na bha eisean mar sin damhsa, bi mise mar fo
dháfan.

Sann an sin a thoisich Uistean,
Mar a ni cu'n droch naduir,
Taumhannaich ri fluadh na Duthcha,
'S bé run gu'n gearra' é 'n failtean;
'Smath a'n Companach don chu é,
'Sdona 'n companach le cach é,
Cho chuideachd é Bhard no Phiobair,
Aig a mhiomhalachd sa dha's é.

Aidich fhein nach 'eil thu 'd phiobair,
'Sleig dhiot bhi 'm barail gur Bard thu,
Daoine criodheil iad le cheile,
'S bithidh iad gu leir a tair ort,

Fear ciuil gun bhinneas gun ghrinneas,
 Fuadaichi' finn as air pairt e',
 Mar a thilgeas iad craobh chrionaich,
 O 'n Ffhionain a mach as a Gharradh.

Mu chi thufa Bard na Filli,
 No fear dana,
 Mu bhios aon diubh giarruidh Gille',
 Ghiulan mailaid,
 Lean an duine fin le duthrachd,
 Los gu'n fiu'lá tu huil aite,
 Smor a'nnglanadh air do dhuthaich,
 I chuir cul riut 's thu ga fagail.

Na ma chi thu fear a sheinneas,
 Piob no clarfach,
 Feaididh tufa 'n tinneal ciuil,
 A Ghiulan dasan,
 Gus ambi craiceann do dhroma',
 Fas na bhallaibh lomma bana,
 Mar a chi thu mille' Srathrach,
 Air gearran a bhios ri aiteach.

Cia mar a dheana' é oran,
 Gun eolas gun tuigfe Nádair,
 O nach deana' é air doidh é,
 Bu chora dha fuireach samhach,
 Bruidhinn ghluiggach 's cuid di mabbach,
 Moran staddich ann am pairt di,

Na ni e phlabbartich chomhradh,
 Cho bheo na thuigeas a Ghaelic.

'Sgimmeleir cheanna na'm bord thu,
 Far am fuidh thu 'ntol gun pháidh,
 Cia mar chunntas finn na geocaich,
 Mar bi Uistean óg fan aireamh,
 Cha rabh do bhru riamh aig fíothcha',
 Gus an liona tu bhiadh chaich i,
 Smor an tolc na chaifge tiotadh,
 Nuair a chit thu fdo ghloc paiteach.

'Stric do leab an lagg an oiraich,
 Na'n cul garraidh,
 Bi do cheann air conntom comhnart,
 'Sro mhath 'ntait é,
 Bithi' na coin a gíomlich teofaig,
 A toirt diot a bheoil fa chairean,
 Do chraos dreammach toirt phog fallach,
 A'd dhearra bhraithrean.

Na'n cluinne' sibh muc a rucail,
 Geoidh is tunnagan a racail,
 Sann mar fin a bha piob Uistean,
 Bronach muladach a ranaich,
 Muineal gun 'Aolmann air tucha,
 'Nribheid cho nfheud bhi laidir,
 'Se call daonnan air a chulaibh,
 Na gaoth bu choir dol fa mhaladh.

Bha lurga coin airson gaoir,
 A'd chraos fairfin,
 'Sculai' fin a thogail Plaigh,
 Sa 'n cnai' air malca,
 Rinn é tanail fallach brein,
 Mu theid neach fo'n Ghrein an taic riut,
 'Sfhearr bhi eidir thu fa ghaoth,
 Na seafamh air tao' an asga'.

Cia mar a ni Uistean óg dhuibh,
 Ceol gu dannsa,
 Nuair a chithe tu fruth ronn,
 On huile toll a bh' air an tsiunnfair,
 'Sgeul tha fìor a dhinnfeas mise,
 Gur he dh'ag e nois cho manntach,
 Gun dtug iad dheth leis an tìofar,
 Bar na teanga.

'Seidi' Uistean Piob an rongain,
 'Smor a hanntlachd,
 Bithidh i cofa'il ri gaoir chonnspeach,
 A bhiodh an enoc fraoich a dranndail,
 'N circeapoll lai' ri Tongue,
 A baiggearachd air muinntir Bainns',
 Fhuair mise piobaire 'n rumbuill,
 'Sdh' ag mi ann é.

R A N N X.

Rann Anna.

ANNA Nion uilleam a'n Cromba,
Bean gun chonn fi fhein air ai'rea',
Núair chuaidh mi 'ntoifeach ga seolltainn,
Cho'n é 'mfortan a chuir ann mi,
Bhruidhinn mise samhach focair,
Mar dhuine bochd a giarruidh fardaich,
Thoifich ise mar chu crofda,
Bhiodh ann sna dorfan a dranndail.

'Sann aice tha beul na fgallais,
Gu fanoid a dheanadh air seannduin,
Nach Urainn a dheanadh feum dhi,
Mar a bha i fein an geall air,
Chunna mise laeth' ghluaifinn,
Leis na Gruagaichean mar chairdeas,
Dhaithnich i gun dalbh an uair sin,
'Schuir i uaithe mi le angar.

Innsidh mi dhuibh teifnas Anna,
O na faithne dhamh san am i,

Bean a dhól a peighinn phifich,
 Cho bheo idir gun an dram i,
 Cho neonach leam i bhí misgeach,
 Si 'ncomhnuidh a meafg a Bhranndi,
 'Stric a bha na broinn a leoir dheth,
 'Sbha tuille fa choir na ceann deth.

Cha'n eil a leannan ra fhaicinn,
 Ach fear ma feach do na ceardaibh,
 Se nonoir is fmo th' aice,
 Gu'm fairtlich i air na bardaibh,
 Thug i dhíom om beul sa'n tshron,
 O na dh'ag i beo mi tha mi taingeil,
 Chuir i mise samhach balbh,
 'Sdhalbh mi mun dtuga' i 'nceann díom.

Smor an treuntas le Anna,
 Bhi cho gheur le fgainneil chainnte,
 'Smairg air na thachair bean bheumnach,
 Aig am bheil am beul gun aime,
 'Mfear a bheir íse dhathigh,
 'Sann air thig a chreach sa'n calldach,
 Nuair shaoil é gum bu bhean cheart i,
 Sann thachair e ri Bhana-mháighifdir.

A Bhana-chleufaiche gun ghrinneas,
 Smairg fleufgach a theid na carramh,
 'Stric i tuiteam leis na Gillean,
 Ceap tuilidh i do na fearaibh,

A Bhean bhruidhneach mhifgeach ghionach,
 Ghlearach lonach, shanntach shallach,
 Roinn gu reuba' air a teangai,
 Cofail ri gath geur na Nathrach.

Comhdach nach falaich a craiceann,
 Leomach gun feol air cuir leis ann,
 Cha'n eil brogan slan mu caslan,
 Cha'n eil cota nairt mu leaslan,
 Orra tha aogafg na glaiftig,
 Neul an Aoig na haodan preaffach,
 Cloffach i air searga', lachdan,
 Scoffail i ri dealbh na Leifge.

Tigh tha lan do mhnathan misgeach,
 'Sole an tait an drinn mi tachairt,
 Ga'd thaine me ann gun fhios damh,
 'S fhearr falbh tra na fuireach aca,
 Banamhaifdir a chomuin bhrifdich,
 Anna tha ainmeil san Eachdrai',
 Mu gheibh cach i mar fhuair mis i,
 Cha dtig iad gu brath ga faicinn.

RANN XI.

Rann a ghabhas Maighdean ga leannan.

CHA neolas graidh dhuit,
Uifge shrabh na shop ;
Ach gradh an fhir thig riut,
Le blas a tharruing ort ;
Eirich moch Didomhnuich,
Gu lic chomhnairt phlattaich ;
'S thoir leat beannachd Pobuill,
Agus currachd Sagairt ;
Tog fud air a ghualinn,
Agus fluafaid mhaide,
Faigh naoi gaslan ranaich,
Air an gearra le tuaith ;
Is tri chnaimhean seannduine,
Air an tarruing é uaidh ;
Loifg air teine crionaich é,
Dean fud gu leir na luath ;
Suath sin ra gheala-bhroilleach,
An aghaidh na gaoth tuath ;
'Stheid mise 'nra sa'm barrantas,
Nach falbh 'mfear úd uait.

R A N N XII.

Rann I-challum-chille.

BEANNACHADH I-chalum-chille,

Innis tha beannuichte cheana,
Eilean a tha 'n iochdar mhuile,
'Se uile fui' chís Mhic Cailein,
Ionad naomha a fhuair urram,
Oscionn iomad tir is fearann,
Ghabhas dilis rís gach duine,
Thig o'n uile rioghachd aineil.

'S iomad rìgh a th' ann san tulaich,
'S daoìn' uaisle riomhach a bharrachd,
Sa 'n cuirp phrífeil bu mhath cumachd,
Air an leagail fios fui 'n talamh,
O 'se deireadh crìch gach duine,
Tuiteam nan uir 's na mín ghaineamh,
Mo dhochus ann Crìofd a dh' fhulaing,
Gu 'n d' ullmhaich e sìth d'an anam.

Mìle is da chiad da h uillidh,
Do bhliannachan air dol thairis,

O na shuithich a cheud duine,
 Dea' chlach bhunaidh sté a bhalla,
 'S iomad dealbh a th' ann a fuireach,
 'S leachdannan mharbh air dhea' ghearradh,
 Clach shnaite o'n bhlar gu mhullach,
 'S rinn iad uil' e laidir fallainn.

Fhuair sinn fearmain shoilleir ullamb,
 O'n fhearr a bha' n-de 's a chrannaig,
 'S chuala mi luchd eisteachd uile,
 Toirt urram do 'n bheul achan i,
 'Nois o na dh' eug Callum-cille,
 'S nach bu dú dha fein bhí maireann,
 Tha acibhneas air duthaich mhuide,
 Du'all a bhí 'n aite Chalum.

R A N N XIII.

Rann Co'dbunaidh.

TH A mise 'm shuidh air an uaigh,
 Tha 'n leaba' sin fuar gu lcoir,
 Gu'nfhios agam cait' an tim,
 Gus an teannar mi fhín da coir;
 Comhdach flanin 's leine lin,
 Is ciste dhu' dhionach bhord,

Air mhead fga 'n cruinnich mi ni,
Sud na theid leam fios fo'n 'Oid ;

'Sbeag air curam ro 'n bhas,
'Mfad a bhios sinn laidir og,
Saoilidh sinn mu gheibh sinn daìl,
Gur e air naite fuireach beo ;
Feaididh sinn fhaicinn air cach,
'S iad gar fagail gach aon lo,
Gur nadurra dhuinne gach trath,
Gu bheil am bas a teanna oirn ;

Tha mo pheacafa' ra throm,
Smuladach fin liom an dráfd,
Tha mi smaoinreacha' gu tric,
Liuthad uair a bhrífd mi naithn ;
Le miann mo dhroch inntin fein,
Leis an rabh mo chrebhag lan ;
Gun chuimhn air ughdarras Dhe,
Le duthrachd am bheul nam laimh ;

Ge'd is mor mo pheaca gníomh,
Smi 'n cionta ciad pheacaidh Adh'mh,
Cheannacha' mi le fuil gu daor,
A dhoirte sgaoilteach air a bhlar,
Tha mo dhuil s'cho dochas faoin,
Ri iochd fhaotinn air a sga',
Gu'n glacar manam gu sith,
Le fulannas Chríofd amhain ;

Tha mo dhochas ann a'n Criofd,
 Nach dibir e mi gu brath;
 Nuair a leagar mo chorp a fios,
 Ann an staid iosail fo'n bhlar;
 Gun togar ma'niam a suas,
 Gu rioghachd na'm buadh sna'n grás,
 Gum bi mo leaba fo dhion,
 Cois cathrach an tì is aird' ;

Cha bhiodh meagall ro an aog,
 Ge'd thigeadh é 'm thaobh gun dail,
 Nam bithinn do pheaca faor,
 'Ndeis a ghaoil a thug mi dha ;
 Tha mo dhuil ann san Dia bheo,
 Gun dean e trocair orm an drafd,
 Mo thoirt a 'steach a dhionad naomh,
 'Neuideachd Mhaois Is Abraham ;

Ga'aidh mi pois mo chead an tfluagh,
 Lan toirt suas doibh ann am chainnt,
 Fagaidh mi aca na chnuafich,
 Na stuaghan a bhann am cheann,
 Los gu nabair iad ra cheile,
 Mar a leugh finn fhein gach rann,
 Co air an dteid finn ga'n firreadh,
 Nois cho'n eil am Philli ann.

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 Mr Donald Wright, vintner
 Mr Peter Wright, gardiner
 Mr Dun. Wright, Paisley
 Mr William Wright, Fort-William
 Mr George Wyllie, surveyor of the customs, Stornaway
 Mr Alexander Wyllie, ship-master, Stornaway

Y

- Mr Thomas Young, student of divinity, Collinfay
 Mr Robert Young, tailor, Garengill
 Mr William Young, farmer, Stennymuir
 Mrs Jean Young, Cornrigg

THE END.

JAIN FAOCHAG ann an Saffunn,
Smor a mhafladh is a mhichliu :
Chaill e na bhaige do chairdean,
'S tha naimhdean air cinntinn lion'or,
Ge b' fhada theich e air astar,
Chaidh a ghlaca, 's tha e cìofnaicht,
Chàirich iad e fo na glasan,
'S tha niuchair tairgt aig maor a phrìofuin.

Tha e nise' 'n aite cumhann
'Se na chruban dubhach deurach
A chas daingean ann an iarunn
Ga phianadh is e na eiginn ;
Basadh dha bhi ann san fhia'rus
Na 'n iargain a tha na chreubhaig,
S' e 'n sin o cheann còr as bliadhna,
A h uile la ag iarraidh réite.

Ach na'm faidhe' tusa reit'e,
An eirig na rinn thu sheanachas,
Baobhar misnich do gach beist é
Gu'm feudadh iad fein do leanmhuinn ;
Fear gun feadh gun laodh gun reasan,
Sann san eacoir a tha tearbfa,
Theann thu mach o achd na cleire,
'S thug thu moid nach eisd thu Searmain.

Thug thu di-meas air air an Eaglais,
Air a Chreidimh 's air na fainndean
Chuir thu breugan air an Trionaid,
'S air na h iartasan a dh'ág iad ;
Tha e nis na ghnòthach cofail,
A reir an t shoifgeil tha mi cláijinn
Gun a chuir thu cùl ri fochair,
Na faorsainn a choifinn air Slanuigh'ear.

Chuir thu cùl ri'd mhoidean-baisde,
'S mor a masla' dhuit an áichreadh,
Chaill thu chuir am biodh an ceartas
Raoinich thu 'm peacadh na háite

Ghleidh thu 'n riaghailt sa'n feol fùraidh,
 A bh'aig Judas do dhearbh-bhrathair,
 'S mor an sgainnil air do dhuthaich,
 Thusa bhruit gu'n d'rinn thu fàs innt.

Ach ga do Sheallta huile doire
 Cha raibh coille riamh gun chrìonach,
 'S tha fios aig an t faoghal uile
 Nach bi choill uile cho dìreach :
 S' tusa chraobh tha'n diaigh feachda,
 Gun chairt, gun mheangain, gun mheuran
 Gun, snotach, gun bhri gun duilleach,
 Gun rúfg, gun urad nam freumhan.

'S tu 'n teun a chaidh san deachamh,
 'S e'n nead creacht' an deach a t' fhagail,
 'S tu 'm fìtheach nach d' rinn an ceartas,
 A chaidh air theachdaireachd o'n airce :
 'S tu 'm madadh-alluidh gun fhiaclan
 'S maing a dhiarradh bhi mar tha thu,
 'S tu 'n Ceann-cinnidh aig na biastan,
 As tha gach duin a 's fhiaich a tair ort.

Cha 'n ioghnadh leam thu bhi'd bhalaoch
 Is bhi falach ann ad nàdar
 O'n a lean thu ris an duthchas
 A bh' aig na sgiarfaicean o'n d' thain thu
 'S tu an tisean a fhuair an tùmaidh
 Ris an t siurfaich air na fráidean,
 Si 'n droch-bheit a thog ad chloinn thu,
 Sann ad sblaoighaire chaidh t érach

Thoisich thu 'n toiseach gu hiofal,
 Air a chrìne 's air a bhochduinn,
 'Sé 'n donas a thug dhuit bhi spòrsail,
 'Sann bu choir dhuit bhi gad choisneadh ;
 'S ole nach d' fhan thu aig do dhú'chas,
 Ad bhriu'air a bruich nam poitean,
 A cumail dibhe ris gach Grudair
 Nuair a dhruitheadh iad na botail.

Bha thu greis ad thim ad Bhaigeir,
 'S laidh thu 'n fhad sin air na cairdean,
 A bhi' oidhch ann sgach tigh as duthaich,
 A dhuraigeadh cuid an trath dhuit;
 Mhead fa bha do dh' ainmheach ortfa,
 Chuir thu cuid nam bochd ga phaidheadh;
 Ciod é nis' a chuir an stoc thu,
 Ach an robaireachd fa mheirleadh.

Shaoil thu ga'm faitheadh tu achain
 Bu mhaslach ga'm biodh i'd thairgse,
 Cead fuidhe 'm Parlamaid Bhreatan,
 Gun chiall gun cheartas ad teanachinn;
 Duine dall a chaidh air feachran,
 Nach eil beachdail air na s'fhearr dha;
 Le comhradh, tubaisdeach tuisleach,
 'S le fier dhroch-thuiteamas cearbach.

Duine gun fhearann gun oighreachd,
 Gun ni gun staoile gun airgiod,
 Gun bheus gun chreideamh gun chreideas,
 Gun ghin a chreidis a sheanachas;
 Duine misgeach bristeach breugach,
 Burri tha na bheisd sna ainmhidh,
 'S trioblaid inntin air itheadh deisneach,
 Gu tric a teumadh a chroidhe chealgaich.

Tha thu sonraicht ann ad chonan,
 A togail conais a miosg dhaoine.
 Cha chualas roimhe do choineas,
 A bhi dhonas air an t faoghal;
 Ach an Naitheir an Gara-Edain,
 A mheall Eubh aig bun na craoibh
 A chomhairlich gu buain a mhios i
 A dh' fhag ris an Cinnea'-daoine.

Thoisich thu 'n toiseach san eucair,
 Ag innfeadh bhreugan air Ri'-Deorfa,
 Cha chreid duine uait an sgeul úd,
 'Scha d' thoir iad eifdeachd ad cho'radh;

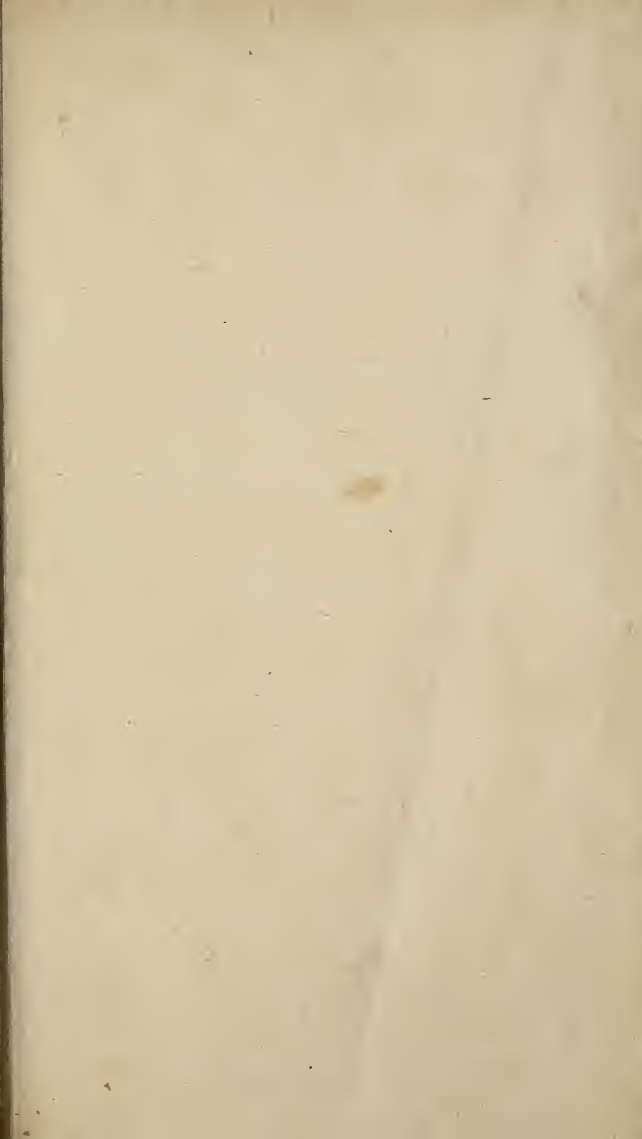
'S beag a dhruitheas do dhroch dhurachd,
 Air oighr' a chruin is na còrach,
 Sa liuthad neach a tha gu toileach,
 A toirt onorach ga mhorachd.

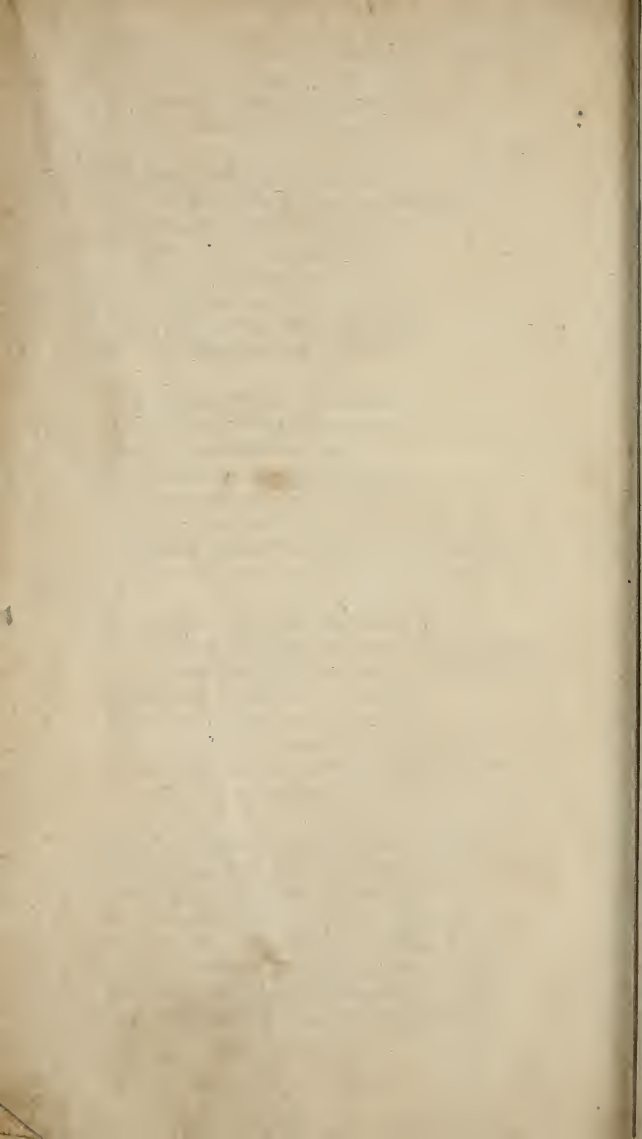
Ga beag ortsa Mòroir Loudin,
 Baithne dhamhfa 'n fónn o'n dh'fhac 6,
 Duin-uafal foifinneach fonn'ar,
 Criodh còmar, aigneadh arda,
 Seanailear air thus na harmailt,
 A bha ainneil ann sna blaraibh,
 Cha mhífd é madadh air bhaitheal
 A bhí tabhonnaich an trás'ris.

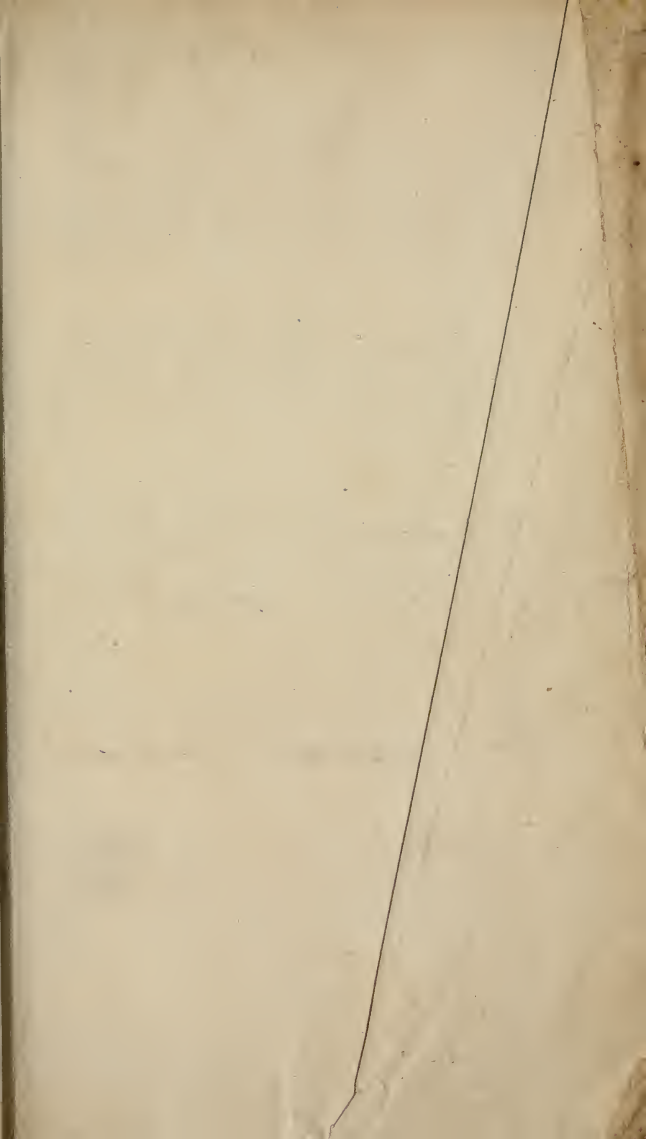
'S górach a labhair thu moran
 Air cúl Jarlo Bhoid an tarmunn,
 Co'sball onorach le firinn,
 A seasamh na rioghachd gu laidir,
 'S e gu hard urramach prifeil,
 Ann an cuirt an Rìogh sna Banriogh'n,
 Adhaindeoin na Faochaig 's na 'm biasdan,
 Leis am b' fhiach dol ann am pairt ris.

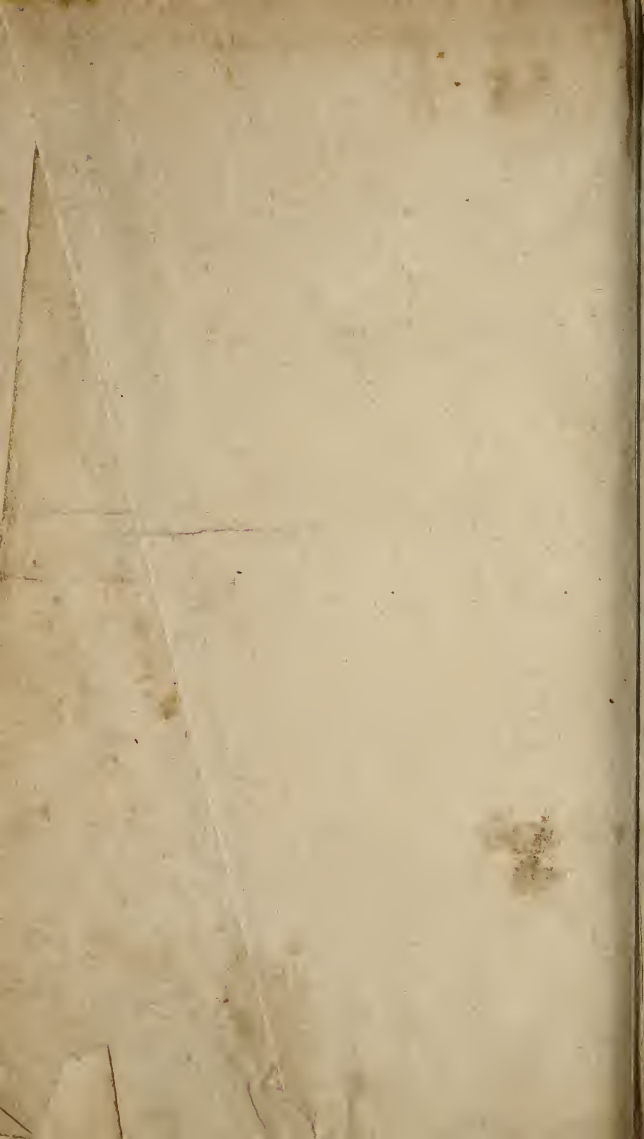
Bhruithin thu gu leir mar Albainn,
 'S b' fhearr dhuit gu 'm fanadh tu samhach,
 Na 'n e' tigeadh tu choir na 'n garbh chrìoch
 Bu mhaireg a bhiodh ann ad aite,
 Bhiodh tu 'm prìofan re do lathan,
 Dh' aindeoin na ghabhadh do phairtse,
 'S an eiric na rinn thu dhroch-bheirt,
 Bheirte chroich mar ghalair bais duit.

Cha 'n iognadh dhuit bhí fo mhulad,
 Fhuair thu dìom gach duin an ál fo,
 Se sin fhein a bha thu coisneadh,
 'S creutair crofd thu o'n dh' fhas thu,
 'Slionar mio-run ann ad chuideachd,
 Mallachd na Cuigse sa Pháp ort;
 Mallachd an tsaoghail gu leir ort,
 Smo mhallachd fhein marri' each ort.









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